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Victoria and Vicinity—Light to moderate northerly winds, continued fine, not much change in temperature.

Vancouver and Vicinity—Light to moderate winds; continued fine, and cold at night.

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BRITAIN AGREES TO U.S. PROPOSAL

Accepts Plan of Twelve-Mile Limit for Enforcement of Prohibition Regulation on American Coast Line

QUESTION IS BEFORE IMPERIAL CONFERENCE

Washington Glad Point Has Been Settled, Though British Decision Was Not Wholly Unexpected

WASHINGTON, Oct. 26.—The decision of the British Government to accept in principle Secretary Hughes' proposals for a twelve-mile right of search limit in suppressing liquor smuggling does not come as a complete surprise to Washington officials, although the British Foreign Office indicated its approval of the project in the last communication on the subject to be made public.

In that rejoinder the Foreign Office disclosed that the question was to be laid before the Imperial Conference, a move which officials here construed as a hopeful sign.

Pending receipt of the plans shaped by the British committee, no official can say whether the essential points raised in Mr. Hughes' proposals have been met.

It is not clear here whether the stipulations of the American draft treaty have been substantially accepted.

Washington Pleased

LONDON, Oct. 26.—The fact that the experts' committee of the Imperial Conference had agreed in principle to accept the proposal made some time ago by Secretary Hughes, that vessels in United States waters might be searched up to the twelve-mile limit for contraband liquor, became known today. It was also ascertained that the recommendation of the committee will likely be approved by the plenary conference of the Premiers next week.

Recalling the firmness with which Lord Curzon, Secretary for Foreign Affairs, not so long ago announced in Parliament the impossibility of sanctioning any change on the question of the three-mile limit, it had been thought an impossibility to convert Lord Curzon to the point of view of Secretary Hughes. But, the Foreign Secretary was chairman of the expert committee of the Imperial Conference and himself agreed in principle to the Hughes proposal.

Though the Government's stand on the three-mile question has been generally approved by the country, there are many who are said to have failed to see why it should be an ironbound principle.

In some sections of the press strong sympathy was expressed with the United States' demand for measures to restrain liquor smuggling.

SENATOR KELLOGG GOES TO LONDON

MINNESOTA SENATOR WILL SUCCEED AMBASSADOR HARVEY

Has Been Advocate of America's Participation in World Court of International Justice

WASHINGTON, Oct. 26.—Frank B. Kellogg, former United States Senator, has been selected by President Coolidge as American Ambassador to Great Britain. Formal announcement is withheld for the present, but the appointment is expected to become effective soon.

White House and State Department officials declined to discuss the selection, the only comment at the White House being that the President felt the time not yet come when an announcement of the appointment could be made.

A Western Man

After a service of six years in the Senate, Mr. Kellogg was a candidate for re-election last November, but was defeated by 80,000 votes in the political upheaval in the Northwest which swept two Farmer-Labor senators into office.

President Coolidge from the first has been determined to appoint a Western man to the Court of St. James.

Unlike Ambassador Harvey, who is regarded as a "bitter ender" in the League of Nations controversy, Mr. Kellogg was counted among the "mild reservationists" in the Senate fight over the Treaty of Versailles. He also was a supporter in the Senate and since his retirement of President Harding's proposal for American participation in the world court.

CONTRABAND DRUGS FOUND ON STEAMER

SEATTLE, Oct. 26.—Forty-eight tins of opium in twenty-four packages were found by customs agents aboard the Oriental liner President McKinley when it docked today. The opium was concealed in incisions made in cuts of meats stored in the refrigerator. The search of the liner followed the arrest of Lew Kow on a charge of selling the officers opium on the dock.

Chinese Bandit Victim

SHANGHAI, Oct. 27.—A dispatch from Changsha today says a German missionary named Strauss has been captured by bandits who are holding him for $10,000 ransom. Conditions in Hunan province are reported rapidly growing worse.

Consent of America To Join Reparation Parley Is Welcomed

Promise of Assistance in Solving Knotty Problem Brings Relief to Old Country Nations—Britain Pleased at Ready Response From Washington—European Nations Ready to Co-operate

FRANCE GIVES CONSENT TO PROPOSED INVESTIGATION

LONDON, Oct. 26.—America's decision to lend her advice and co-operation in a conference for the settlement of the German reparations muddle seems to have lifted Europe out of the slough of depression.

Secretary Hughes' prompt and decisive response to Marquis Curzon's plea for American assistance has given impetus to a situation which has heretofore been marked by utter inertia, and for the first time today British officials began to see a rift in the mists which have so long enveloped the problem.

Quick Response

America's voice, stressing the imperative need of finding a suitable financial plan to prevent economic disaster in Europe, found prompt echoes in Paris, Brussels and Rome, for it became known late this afternoon at the British Foreign Office that France, Belgium and Italy had all accepted the principle of an advisory conference of experts.

While the British authorities would have preferred a full conference of ministers to liquidate the reparations troubles, they hope the preliminary conference of experts will lead to a larger council of Allied and American statesmen.

France's consent to enter the advisory conference of experts will involve the question of acceptance of the American principle that the inter-Allied debts and German reparations must be divorced, a point upon which Premier Poincare heretofore has differed from Great Britain and the United States.

Indemnity Reduction

France will also have to face the question of reducing the amount of indemnity expected from Germany under the Versailles Treaty, which, in the past, has been fixed at 6,600,000,000 pounds sterling, or 132,000,000,000 gold marks. This sum and the question of granting a moratorium to Germany were the points which led to the failure of the last expert bankers' commission, of which J. P. Morgan was a member.

If, as the British Government anticipates, M. Poincare agrees to these and other conditions, it will then remain only for the nations participating in the conference to appoint their experts and formulate a programme of procedure.

British officials seem to favor Berlin as the principal seat of conference, as this would make Germany's books and records and the German officials themselves more accessible to the experts who are to appraise Germany's assets and her capacity to redeem her indemnity obligations.

Berlin Is Pleased

BERLIN, Oct. 26.—Much satisfaction was expressed in Government circles today over the report that the plan of Secretary of State Hughes for the appointment of an international commission to ascertain Germany's capacity to pay reparations had been accepted as the basis of a proposal for discussion on the subject. It was pointed out that Germany has been a consistent supporter of the programme of Secretary Hughes from the moment it was put forward by him in his speech in New Haven in December last.

Notwithstanding what was deemed the caution manifested in the American reply to the British Government's "feelers" regarding the conference, official quarters evinced satisfaction over Premier Baldwin's speech at Plymouth Thursday night and what was termed the frank utterances of Gen. Jan Christian Smuts, the South African Premier, in his two recent talks on the subject of reparations.

The speeches of both statesmen were characterized as material to the attempt to revive discussion of the question of Germany's ability to pay reparations.

Ready to Negotiate

WASHINGTON, Oct. 26.—Word that France, Italy and Belgium had accepted British proposals that an international commission of experts be

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Resignation Demanded

HERR GESSLER

The Central Government's Minister to Bavaria, who was given control of the situation there by Chancellor Stresemann. Bavaria now demands his dismissal.

LEAGUE WELCOMES PROPOSED PARLEY

APPROVES REPARATIONS PROBLEM TO COMMISSION

Machinery of International Body Is Available When Powers Seek to Reach Agreement

GENEVA, Oct. 26.—The proposal to hold a conference on reparations is heartily favored in league circles. Indirectly but warmly the proposal was strongly supported at today's session of the International Labor Conference, when the labor leaders, headed by E. L. Poulton, British delegate, laid emphasis on the urgency of remedial economic measures for Europe "if mankind is to be saved from annihilation."

"Unless we wish to be completely submerged we must find help for the men, women and children who today are suffering, for millions of them do not know where to turn for their next meal," said Mr. Poulton.

Ready To Assist

Officials of the League of Nations explained that the league had not acted because the principal powers preferred to keep the problem in their own hands, but they said the machinery of the league was ready to be put at the disposal of the powers, as in the case of reconstruction of Austria and as it will be for Hungary.

Financial experts of the league incline to the view that there can be no real questions without the help of the United States or without a simultaneous settlement of the question of the inter-allied debts.

DEFENDANT CLEARED BY THE ASSIZE JURY

Former General Manager of Britannia Mining Company Is Cleared—Charged With Conspiracy

VANCOUVER, Oct. 26.—E. J. Donohue was acquitted in the assize court tonight on the series of charges laid against him by the Britannia Mining & Smelting Co., of which he was formerly general manager. The jury was out for only a few minutes.

Mr. Justice Gregory having told them that he would without hesitation have taken the case from the jury had not the defence by its attitude indicated that the accused wanted a clear vindication.

His Lordship expressed the view that certain details of the charge did not deal with acts which are illegal.

Four of the seven counts were withdrawn, and the three which went to the jury were conspiracy, making false entries as a director, and conversion of $1,127.

SEATTLE SUSPECT ORDERED RELEASED

SEATTLE, Oct. 26.—Walter "Tiney" Moore, alias Holmer, who was arrested here two weeks ago for the British Columbia Provincial Police on suspicion that he led an attack on the gas boat Erskine, near Sidney Island last May, was ordered released by Superior Judges King Dykeman and Everett Smith, acting as a special Board of Inquiry for the United States Secretary of State. Moore's attorney stated his client had been able to prove that he was not the man wanted.

RATES APPEAL IS BEFORE CABINET

B.C.'s Complaint Against Railway Board's Decision Subject of Discussion, Report Says

OTTAWA, Oct. 26.—No official announcement as yet is available on the decision of the cabinet with regard to the British Columbia freight rates appeal.

It has been reported that the matter has been referred back to the Railway Commission and an announcement was anticipated today. There was an emergency meeting of the cabinet this afternoon, however, and it is rumored that reconsideration of the cabinet's action on this point was one of the matters taken up.

Minister Approved

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld., Oct. 26.—Hon. M. E. Hawco, Minister of Posts and Telegraphs, was returned in yesterday's by-election in Harbor-Main by a majority of 279 over his opponent, J. J. St. John, who stood as an independent.

Railway Insures Employees

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—The Southern Pacific Railway today announced it has insured its 90,000 employees in a single policy for $100,000,000. This was said to be one of the largest group insurance policies ever issued.

SEEK AGREEMENT ON CATTLE ISSUE

Britain and Canada Get Together in Effort to Fix the Standard on Which Cattle Will Be Admitted

REGULATIONS NOT FAIR TO DOMINION

Seek Basis Upon Which Admission of Livestock to Old Country Market May Be Facilitated

LONDON, Oct. 26.—Representatives of British and Canadian governments are to meet together to see if some basic standard agreeable to both countries cannot be reached for the admission of Canadian cattle into Great Britain.

This was another phase of the long battle which occupied the attention of the Economic Conference today. After much effort the embargo against the admission of Canadian store cattle was removed. So it is claimed by Canadian authorities, the regulations under which they are now admitted much nullify the effect of the removal of the embargo; and that was the point the Canadian representative pressed today.

In Canada's Support

Both Premier King and Hon. George P. Graham spoke in the presentation of the Canadian case. Their main contentions were:

1. That the British act of parliament had not completely carried out the agreement reached between the British and Canadian governments in that the act restricted the cattle to be admitted to stores, although the act had a clause providing for the admission of breeding cattle by a standing order of the Board of Agriculture.

2. Breeding cattle, however, were not admitted because the Board of Agriculture refused to issue the necessary standing order. The point was taken that not only were the present regulations unfair to Canada, but they were interpreted differently at different ports.

Mr. Graham argued that the present interpretation of the regulations was apt to cast a stigma on Canadian cattle. Stockers were classed as fat and had to be slaughtered under the Disease of Animals Act. This, in itself, created a bad impression. In addition, these half fattened cattle were sold as Canadian beef, thus injuring Canada's reputation.

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Former Premier Is Ill

RT. HON. BONAR LAW

Whose health is again in serious condition, and whose physicians issue disquieting bulletins.

MR. BONAR LAW'S CONDITION SERIOUS

FORMER BRITISH PREMIER IS AGAIN AFFLICTED

Old-Time Throat Affection Confines Him to His Room—Suffers From Sudden Chill

LONDON, Oct. 26.—Andrew Bonar Law is still abed with a serious throat affection, and his condition today became so aggravated as to justify his physicians issuing a bulletin, the first since the former Premier's breakdown last Summer.

Suffers Chill

The bulletin, which was signed by Sir Thomas Horder, the famous cancer specialist, and Dr. Gould May, said the patient was suffering from an exorbitive attack of his feverish chill.

GREEK GOVERNMENT TO END MUTINY

ATHENS, Oct. 26.—The government has concentrated forces for striking a final blow at the insurgents and it depends upon the mutineers whether any conflict occurs, the regular army having been ordered to avoid bloodshed.

The mutiny has been suppressed in Macedonia, the government announces.

Esquimalt Traders Celebrate Birthday

Spirit of Optimism and Enthusiasm Animates Second Birthday Party of Workers in Neighboring Municipality—Speakers Urge Expansion of Co-operation to Secure Industrial Development

ENTHUSIASM in both the future and the present was much in evidence at the first annual banquet of the Esquimalt Board of Trade, held last night in the Sailors' Home, Admiral's Road, Esquimalt, which was the means of celebrating the organization's second birthday. Visitors were present from the city of Victoria and nearly all the districts and centres in the southern section of Vancouver Island. All were optimistic and all were thoroughly "sold" on the idea of prosperity for the Island section of British Columbia. Near the close of the banquet, one of the principal features, a big birthday cake decorated with two candles, was cut by Mrs. Hodges, head of the Women's Canadian Club of Victoria, and all present ate to the continued well-being and health of the Esquimalt Board of Trade.

Shortly after 7 o'clock Rev. Father Silver, president of the Board, called the meeting to order, and after grace was said by Rev. Mr. Chapman, of the Garrison Church, an excellent repast was enjoyed. Afterwards came the toast, "The King," and the long programme of speeches and music was commenced.

Captain Matthewson, secretary of the Board of Trade, was the first speaker, and his message was a worthy one, "The Purpose of the Banquet." Briefly he reviewed the actions which had led to the formation of the board. In 1920 a Merchants' Association was formed under the presidency of Mr. R. C. Lang. Largely due to Mr. Lang's influence, the Esquimalt Board of Trade was organized, Mr. R. H. Pooley, M.P.P., being the first president and chairman. The first committee, continued Captain Matthewson, was the Industrial Committee, and its first resolution was that the newly organized board of trade should put forth all efforts to secure industrial development on the southern end of Vancouver Island in general, and in Esquimalt in particular.

Opportunities Great

Since that time, the speaker asserted, industrial development had continued to be the target at which the board aimed. The opportunities were great, he said, and called attention to the continuous growth of United States imports of raw materials from the Orient, for manufacture. He considered that British banking and financial systems established throughout the Orient were in better condition and covered more territory than those controlled by the United States, and he believed that those British systems should be used in order to develop Oriental trade with British Columbia and the Eastern sections of Canada. If the United States found it profitable to import Oriental materials and manufacture them, then it should be increasingly advantageous for similar manufac-

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Subscriptions to Aid Sufferers By Earthquake

SUBSCRIPTIONS received to date by the Red Cross Society, 318 Belmont House, for the relief of the earthquake sufferers, are as follows:

Previously acknowledged	$5,274.38
M. C. V.	2.00
G. M. D.	2.00
Proceeds of ball given by the Gizeh Temple Shrine Band	704.15
St. Paul's Church, Esquimalt	131.32
Christ Church Cathedral, additional contribution	15.00
	$6,128.85

EARL OF ATHLONE NAMED GOVERNOR

Will Succeed Prince Arthur of Connaught as Governor-General of South Africa

LONDON, Oct. 26.—Announcement was made today of the appointment of the Earl of Athlone as Governor-General of South Africa, succeeding Prince Arthur of Connaught.

The new Governor-General is a brother of Queen Mary. He was born Viscount Trematon in 1874, third son of the Duke of Teck and the late Princess Mary Adelaide. He was created the first Earl of Athlone in 1917.

Vancouver Conservatives Meet

VANCOUVER, Oct. 26.—Preparations are being made for the annual meeting of the Vancouver Conservative Association, to be held here November 13.

RHINE REPUBLICANS ABANDON THEIR PLAN

Attempt to Establish Republic Relinquished, Berlin Says, in Face of Resistance Shown by Inhabitants of the Area Affected—Disturbances Reported in Essen

Unemployed Do Battle With National Police

BERLIN, Oct. 26.—Official quarters in Berlin are anything but sanguine over the outcome of the present situation in the Rhineland. According to views expressed here the French are giving the Separatists a greater measure of open support and protection than previously had been the case.

The entire press of Aix-la-Chapelle has ceased publication because of censorship interference, which, it is alleged, precludes the printing of current views and untrammelled editorial utterances.

Dr. von Kahr, the Bavarian dictator, replying today to various inquiries whether the dispute of Bavaria with the Berlin government was amenable to negotiation, asserted that he would reject all negotiations with the present Reich government.

While the central government is doing nothing against Bavaria, the Reichswehr is displaying great energy in Saxony, arresting Socialists and Communists and searching their homes.

Supports Royalist Cause

ADOLF HITLER

The Bavarian Royalist leader, who would place Prince Rupprecht on the throne.

CONDEMNS BASIS OF CHURCH UNION

MEETING HELD LAST NIGHT BY NON-UNIONISTS

Rev. W. F. McConnell, Organizer for Presbyterian Church Association, Says Opposition Is Growing

"It will not be easy for the proponents of church union to get the proposed legislation through. We will fight it every inch of the way. We have employed the best legal counsel in Canada to assist us in preventing the bill from becoming law. And we are prepared to use every legitimate means to carry out our purpose."

In these words the Rev. W. F. McConnell, recently appointed Dominion organizer for the Presbyterian Church Association, embodied the determination of the opponents of church union in that church to fight the movement to the bitter end. Mr. McConnell fired the opening guns in the opposition campaign at a large meeting held in St. Paul's Church, Victoria West, last night.

He charged the unionist section with a policy of repression. "They will not open the subject for free discussion," he said. "Men who were formerly our colleagues now refuse to announce our meetings from their pulpits. They will not permit us to speak in their churches; this is not fair play; this is not democratic; it is a policy of the repression of free speech.

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NEED OF NEW IDEAS ON EMIGRATION

What Colonies Need Are Men and Women Who Can Do Work, Says London Paper

LONDON, Oct. 26.—Commenting on the overseas settlement question, The Daily Telegraph says:

"New ideas on emigration must be accepted in this country as well as overseas before the Empire Settlement Act meets with the success once so confidently anticipated.

"If the right type of emigrant is to be secured in this thickly settled, highly industrialized country, we must banish the impression that it is only social failures who can be expected to move overseas.

"On the other hand, we must banish the picture that migration means a life of unmitigated hardship, and a further error that must be got rid of is that emigration is only for the very young men and women drawn exclusively from the countryside. The man or woman who has graduated amid the hum and turmoil of the city, frequently makes an ideal settler on the land overseas."

Heads Logging Congress

SPOKANE, Oct. 26.—D. E. Stewart, of Knappa, Ore., was elected president of the Pacific Logging Congress at the closing session here today of its fourteenth annual meeting. Huntington Taylor, of Coeur d'Alene, Idaho, was chosen vice-president. The new board of directors includes E. F. Sanders, of Victoria, B.C. New Mexico was added to the membership of the congress

Abandon Plan

The Social Democratic party of the Bavarian Palatinate today issued a statement explaining that a breach in the constitution by the Bavarian Government and the menace from the Separatists had driven them to the decision to establish the Palatinate as an independent state within the Reich, but that the disapproval of the Reich Government and opposition in the Palatinate itself had caused the party to abandon the attempt to realize its plans.

Riots in Essen

LONDON, Oct. 26.—A mob of several thousand unemployed seized the Krupp works at Essen today and barricaded themselves in the main buildings, says a dispatch to The Daily Express from Essen. At least seven persons were killed and 200 wounded in a desperate fight with the "Blue" police, who are described as inadequate to deal with the situation.

The attack, according to The Express corespondent, developed at noon a few hours after Dr. Krupp von Bohlen and his three co-directors in the Krupp company returned to Essen on parole from the Dusseldorf prison.

Essen tonight is wild with excitement. The police are engaged in a conflict at the Krupp works and are attempting to put a stop to pillaging.

Pillaging in Rhineland

BRUSSELS, Oct. 26.—Turbulence at several points in the Belgian zone of the Rhineland is reported in dispatches from that region today. Pillaging has occurred at Emmerich, near the Dutch frontier of the Rhineland. At Neuss, southwest of Dusseldorf, the Separatists met with opposition and were prevented from establishing themselves. At Mount Joie, southeast of Aix-la-Chapelle, where the Republicans had been ejected, they returned and again seized the local government and disarmed the

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PROGRAMME FOR OPENING EVENT

MILITARY GUARD FOR LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR

Speaker Will Receive King's Representative at Main Entrance and Escort Him to Assembly Hall

The programme for the opening of the Legislature on Monday was announced yesterday at the Parliament Buildings.

The general nature of the proceedings will be much the same as last year, although it will be unnecessary to go through the formality of appointing a new Speaker.

Arrangements are being made to have increased accommodation provided for the public in the galleries of the Legislative Hall, and both side galleries as well as the Speaker's gallery will be open to the public during the opening day's ceremonies. The ladies' gallery, opposite the Speaker's dais, will alone be reserved for those holding tickets. The usual number of persons included in the official list have already received their formal invitation to attend the opening.

The firing of a royal salute of twenty-one guns at the Work Point battery will signalize the opening of the session.

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CELEBRATE OPENING OF PACIFIC HIGHWAY

British Columbia Shares in Ceremonies Conducted at the Oregon State Line

SALEM, Ore., Oct. 26.—Through a flower barrier and under the Stars and Stripes and the Union Jack, an automobile carrying notables of Oregon, Washington and British Columbia, passed at 11:40 this morning, and a caravan miles in length had reached the end of the trail in the capital-to-capital celebration of paved highway completion in the Northwest.

Thousands of voices cheered as the long line of cars, first of which carried Governor Hart, of Washington, Governor Walter M. Pierce, of Oregon, Harvey Toy, representing Governor Richardson, of California, and Thomas Kirk, of British Columbia, made its way through the multi-colored barrier. At a down-town hotel, the visiting notables were honor guests at a luncheon

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MRS. T. W. ANGLIN DIES AT OTTAWA

OTTAWA, Oct. 26.—Mrs. T. W. Anglin, widow of Hon. T. W. Anglin, who was a member of the House of Commons from 1867 to 1888, died here this evening, aged eighty-one years. She leaves four sons, Mr. Justice Anglin, of the Supreme Court of Canada; A. W. Anglin, K.C., Toronto; T. W. and D. W. Anglin, of New York, also two daughtrs, Margaret Anglin (Mrs. H. H. Hull), well-known actress, and Mrs. T. Hutchins, who resides in China.

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ACCEPT MEETING ON REPARATIONS

FRANCE, BELGIUM AND ITALY ACCEPT SUGGESTION

Britain's Invitation to Conference on Germany's Ability to Pay Meets Response—U.S. Position

LONDON, Oct. 26.—France, Belgium and Italy have accepted the British invitation for a reparations conference with the understanding that it shall take the form of a committee of experts under the authority of the present interallied Reparations Commission. It is understood the British members will be the same as those who served last year on the bankers' committee on which the United States was represented by Mr. J. P. Morgan.

It is thought that Berlin will be chosen as the seat of the conference since the chief function of the committee will be to inquire into Germany's financial assets. Selection of the French, Belgian and Italian personnel is expected shortly.

France Willing

PARIS, Oct. 26.—The French Government is willing that an international conference of experts to be named by the Reparations Commission be called to consider the question of reparations in conformity with the Treaty of Versailles. The French Government, it was said in official circles this morning, would be most happy if the Government of the United States would name an expert to participate in such a conference.

It was semi-officially announced that Premier Poincare, in the name of the French Government, already had informed Secretary Hughes that he would accept an international commission of experts to determine Germany's capacity to pay, but that they must be named by the Reparations Commission. The British Government, it was added, had not yet accepted the condition.

BRUSSELS, Oct. 26.—The Belgian Government is expected in official circles to approve the suggestion for an examination of Germany's capacity to pay, provided this be done by a consultative committee of the Reparations Commission. The British note on this subject was being discussed by the Government this afternoon, and an announcement of the decision is looked for shortly.

LONDON, Oct. 26.—While the general attitude of the United States on a reparations conference was already well known, the British Government appears to be much gratified to have the Coolidge administration restate itself so practically and clearly on paper.

There is a distinct feeling of satisfaction over the helpful friendly tone of the renewed offer of co-operation, but the officials here are under no delusion as to how far the United States can go in its proposition on a reparations settlement, especially as it reserves no decision regarding its course of action in the event of a French declination to join.

U.S. Where It Was

LONDON, Oct. 26.—The Curzon-Hughes correspondence is the subject of general comment in the London morning papers. The majority of the papers do not regard Secretary Hughes' statement as going much, if any, further than the Washington declared attitude.

The Daily Telegraph heartily wishes that the United States was ready to join now unreservedly in regulating the affairs of Europe and infers that nothing is intended beyond the cautious position indicated by President Coolidge a month ago.

The Westminster Gazette, declaring that the United States reservations are not understandable, says that if Premier Baldwin's appeal has no effect upon France, separate action must be considered.

The Daily Mail thinks the United States response cautious, vague and cold and that it carries the world very little, if at all, further.

The Daily Chronicle says that Washington's note merely reaffirms in precise language what was already known.

Sees Concessions

The Daily News, on the other hand, takes the view that Secretary Hughes' reply concedes formal accession of the United States to the conference policy and publicly avows the intention to consider the summoning of a conference without France if the latter refuses to share in it. The paper says:

"We believe that the turning point in this tragic history has now at last been reached."

The Manchester Guardian thinks that the correspondence and Premier Baldwin's statement will carry things "several steps toward the light." It remarks that the United States will not necessarily abstain from a conference if France refuses, and says:

"This is a new development, showing that America is increasingly alive to the dangers of the European situation and to the impossibility of America standing permanently aloof. If America keeps out of Europe until Europe is united, she may keep out forever."

The Times, commending Premier Baldwin for seizing the cessation of passive resistance in the Ruhr as an opportune time to approach the United States and thereby eliciting an expression of willingness to participate in a conference, if invited by all the powers concerned, says:

Cautious Reply

"The American reply is cautiously worded, but it represents a new fact, far more hopeful in all its tendencies and implications than any statement from the other side of the Atlantic for a long time past. The Baldwin Government brought to light an opportunity bigger than most of the world had dared to imagine."

The Morning Post, however, considers the reply "virtually amounting to a rebuff," and says it cannot understand how Lord Curzon could have dispatched a note which was bound to receive such a reply.

This newspaper contends that the United States long ago made clear its intention to abstain from any negotiations with the European powers until Great Britain and France agreed on a common policy. It cannot see how the United States could be expected to attend such a conference until that agreement is reached.

"The objective of our statesmen ought to be the attainment of that agreement and not the summoning of America to witness and perhaps become embroiled in our quarrels," it declares.

The Morning Post is greatly annoyed at Lord Curzon and suggests that he ought to retire.

Asks Full Meeting

WASHINGTON, Oct. 26.—Although the American government stands ready to enter a European reparations conference having a full attendance of Allied powers, it is not willing to agree beforehand to a meeting at which there might be empty chairs.

Thus, in substance, has Secretary Hughes replied to the latest overtures from abroad for American intervention to untangle the international snarl over the collection of war indemnities from Germany. For the moment, officials are content not to elaborate on the Secretary's pronouncement, or to predict what effect it may have on the British effort to obtain some semblance of a world-wide effort to solve the ills of the European continent. There were indications today, however, that with the subject reopened, important developments might follow.

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One Thrill Great-Grandmother Was Spared When She Went West in 1849
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FRENCH-CANADIAN WOMEN VALUE VOTE

CALGARY, Oct. 25. — Though French-Canadian women do not enter so actively into politics as their English neighbors, they value the franchise highly, and make good use of it in the elections, according to Mrs. Ernest Lapointe, when interviewed here today.

She believed the field of politics a vast plain, in which there is room for both men and women to work together.

Mme. Lapointe is enjoying her first visit to the West, her only regret being that she did not arrive early enough for the harvesting.

CANADIAN VICKERS PURCHASES PLANT

MONTREAL, Oct. 26.—Apropos the plea of Premier King for British investments in Canada comes the news today of the purchase by Canadian Vickers, Ltd., of the stock, plant and business of the Phoenix Bridge & Iron Works, Ltd.

"It is an indication of confidence on the part of British manufacturers in the future of Canada," said Mr. P. L. Miller, general manager of Vickers, Ltd.

SEE PREFERENCE ON SMALL SCALE

PREMIER BALDWIN'S STATEMENT NEGATIVE

Overseas Premiers Can Find Small Hope of Early Concessions in Tariffs to Dominions

LONDON, Oct. 26.—The delegates to the Imperial Conference today are closely examining Premier Baldwin's much heralded speech at Plymouth. The interpretation that one hears of it is that Premier Baldwin personally has become a convert to industrial protection, but as this was anticipated, however, there is no present likelihood of preferential tariffs on wheat or other major foodstuffs and that the Baldwin Government has no immediate intention of dissolving Parliament.

From this the deduction is reached that as the Bonar Law pledge that there would be no fundamental change in the British fiscal policy during the life of the Parliament elected last November is to be respected by the Baldwin Government, any amendments the British Government may have to submit to its offer to the Dominion of increased preference will not be of a sweeping character.

Reparations Intrude

Among the overseas representatives here the point is taken also that the indications today, however, that with the subject reopened, important developments might follow.

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Hon. M. J. Dewet, Minister of Justice for South Africa, added that the judicial system of South Africa already made substantial provision in regard to such enforcements.

Finally, with reference to workmen's compensation, the Canadian representative on the special committee which is now considering the question of reaching some common basis in respect to non-resident dependents of alien workmen, pointed out today that the difficulty for Canada lay in the fact that the matter came under the provincial authorities.

One resolution requires the Baldwin Government to provide for preferential treatment of British capital invested within the Empire by lower income tax or death duties.

Miners' Pay Cut

BUTTE, Mont., Oct. 26.—Notices of a fifty-cent reduction in day's pay were posted at all mining properties in Butte, Anaconda and Great Falls today. The wage cut affects all working on day pay and contract work. It is estimated that 14,000 men are affected. The wage cut is operative November 1. High cost of production and low price of metals are given as the reasons.

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Hunger Strike Fails To Secure Release

DUBLIN, Oct. 26.—The Free State government announces that no prisoners have been released in consequence of a hunger strike and that none will be, although freedom might be granted on other grounds.

At a meeting in O'Connell last evening Republican speakers said that 10,000 persons would rather face death than endure prison.

Delay Proves Fatal To Programme Laid For Gallipoli Drive

Differences of Opinion Among Members of Coalition Ministry Have Usual Halting Effect—Month Wasted in Work of Preparation—Time Given to Turks to Strengthen Defensive Forces

THE WORLD CRISIS: 1915

By the Right Hon. Winston S. Churchill, C.H., First Lord of the Admiralty, 1911-1915
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ARTICLE 18—CONSEQUENCE OF DELAY

THERE was, however, from the outset to the end a duality of opinion in the cabinet which, although it did not follow party lines, resembled a party cleavage, and at every stage in the rest of the Dardanelles operations caused serious embarrassment. Had the prime minister possessed or been able to acquire plenary authority, and had he been permitted to exercise it during May and June without distraction or interruption, it is my belief, based upon daily acquaintance with these transactions, that he would have taken the measures which even at this stage would have resulted in securing a decisive victory. But from the moment of the formation of the coalition power was dispersed and counsels were divided, and every military decision had to be carried by the same sort of process of tact, temporizing, and exhaustion which occurs over a clause in a keenly contested bill in the House of Commons in time of peace. These facts are stated not with a view of making reproaches where all were equally sincere and equally well-meaning, but to explain the melancholy turn of events.

Time is Chief Factor

We had now at length got on June 9 the kind of decisions which were necessary to carry the enterprise through to success. There was no military reason of any kind why the decisions which were reached on June 7 and June 9 should not have been taken within 48 hours of Sir Ian Hamilton's telegram of May 17. All the facts necessary to the decision were equally available on that date; all the troops were equally available; all the arguments were equally clamant. But from causes in which the enemy had no part, which arose solely from the confusion into which the governing instrument in this country had been thrown, from a fortnight to three weeks were lost for ever.

The consequences were momentous. Time was the dominating factor. The extraordinary mobility and unexpectedness of amphibious power can, as has been shown, only be exerted in strict relation to limited periods of time. The surprise, the rapidity, and the intensity of the attack are all dependent on the state of the enemy's preparations at a given moment. Every moment undertaken on one side can be matched by a counter movement on the other. Force and time in this kind of operation amount to almost the same thing, and each can to a very large extent be expressed in terms of the other. A week lost was about the same as a division. Three divisions in February could have occupied the Gallipoli peninsula with little fighting. Five could have captured it after March 18. Seven were insufficient at the end of April, but nine might just have done it. Eleven might have sufficed at the beginning of July. Fourteen were to prove insufficient on August 7. Moreover, one delay breeds another.

Lost Grand Opportunity

The date of the next great attack on the Gallipoli peninsula was governed by two factors—the arrival of the new army, and to a lesser extent by the state of the moon. It was considered that a surprise landing at a fresh point could best be effected on a moonless night. If therefore the dark period of July was missed, the operation in the particular form adopted must stand over till the similar period in August. It will be seen by reference to the decisions of the Dardanelles committee of June 7 that they contemplated an attack in the second week of July, and believed that the three new divisions would all have arrived by then. This would have been the most favorable moment.

It could certainly have been achieved if the decision had been taken promptly on the receipt of Sir Ian Hamilton's telegram, or, if pending a general decision on policy the dispatch on reinforcements by divisions could have proceeded while the government was considering the matter. But, as it was, the troops that it was now decided to send did not or could not arrive in time for a July attack. The three new army divisions did not, in fact, finish arriving until July had ended.

Thus the great battle at Anzac and Suvla Bay was fought in the second week of August, instead of, as would have been perfectly practicable, in the early part of July. During the month that was thus lost, i.e., from the beginning of July to the beginning of August, ten new Turkish divisions, or their equivalents, besides important drafts, according to our now certain knowledge, reached the defenders of the peninsula, and thus our new divisions, which we had at last decided to send, and which if sent in time would have given us a good superiority, were equated and cancelled out before they got to the spot. Moreover, in the interval our land forces were greatly wasted and reduced by sickness and casualties, and the fleet was exposed to continuous danger from submarines.

The Germans acquired an ever-increasing control of the Turkish army, and the whole methods of defence were in consequence far better organized. The defeats of the Russians in Galicia during June and July produced a marked change in the fighting spirit of the Turks on the peninsula. The removal from Batoum of General Istomine's army, which was thrown into the main Russian battlefields, liberated the considerable forces which the Turks had been forced to keep concentrated at or near Midia to guard against a landing there. Before June was half over it became clear that the reinforcements could not reach the Dardanelles in time for a July battle. The second week in August was the earliest date when the troops would be there, and the nights would be moonless.

Mr. Balfour's Exertion

Mr. Balfour, by most strenuous exertions, was able to undertake the transport of additional troops. For this purpose he had recourse once again to the great liners Aquitania, Mauretania and Olympic. For several weeks everyone had shrunk from using these giants on account of the awful consequences if they were sunk with seven or eight thousand men on board. The new First Lord, as he gradually began to measure and appraise the values and hazards in this terrible sphere, resolved to repeat the action which I had taken, providentially without misadventure, five weeks before. In the end, therefore, the two extra divisions were ordered to sail, and it seemed probable they would arrive in time for the August battle. Meanwhile, the Turks also on their side must be moving.

On June 18 I completed a further general memorandum for the cabinet. I endeavored in this to show the relation which the attack on the Dardanelles took to the whole field of the war, which concluded thus:

"However these vast problems are approached, the dominant needs emerge in clear sequence.

"First, to re-equip Russia for 1916.

"Secondly, to rally the Balkan states against Austria and Turkey, thus forcing the Central Powers to bleed along a new front, and at the same time protecting Italy.

"Thirdly, to nurse France through the Winter.

Prize Is Within Reach

"But in order that a voice may be heard amid the indistinct murmurings or unconvincing assertions of the various governments it is necessary that one of the powers should speak, not only with the consciousness of a clear policy, but with indispensable prestige of victory. It is open to Great Britain now to take the necessary lead in the Allied councils. She commands the sea. In that respect her primary weapon has vindicated itself even more decisively than the German army. She wields the power of the purse. She is becoming an important arsenal of munitions. Her military strength, which has for some months been respectable, is growing substantially. She only requires victory to give her the ascendancy without which no good common action is to be expected.

"There can be no doubt that we now possess the means and the power to take Constantinople before the end of the Summer if we act with decision and with a due sense of proportion. The striking down of one of the three hostile empires against which we are contending, and the fall to our arms of one of the most famous capitals in the world, with the results which must flow therefrom, will, conjoined with our other advantages, confer upon us a far-reaching influence among the Allies, and enable us to insure their indispensable co-operation. Most of all, it will react on Russia. It will give the encouragement so sorely needed. It will give the reward so long desired. It will render a service to an ally unparalleled in the history of nations. It will multiply the resources and open the channel for the re-equipment of the Russian armies. It will dominate the Balkan situation and cover Italy. It will resound through Asia. Here is the prize, and the only prize, which lies within reach this year. It can certainly be won without unreasonable expense, and within a comparatively short time. But we must act now, and on a scale which makes speedy success certain.

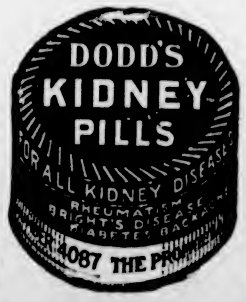
"W. S. C."

June 18, 1915.

TOMORROW: THE ABANDONMENT OF THE DARDANELLES.

Minnesota Senator Is Slated for London

WASHINGTON, Oct. 26.—Frank B. Kellog, former United States Senator from Minnesota, has been selected for American Ambassador to London. He will succeed Mr. George Harvey, who recently resigned, and the appointment is expected to become effective in the near future.



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TRUE BILLS AGAINST BANK DIRECTORS

Home Bank Officials Must Face Trial by Jury With Police Court Proceedings Eliminated

TORONTO, Oct. 26.—True bills were brought in by the assizes grand jury here today in the cases heard against President H. J. Daly and nine other directors and officials of the Home Bank.

This procedure will obviate the necessity for further police court proceedings.

Counsel for the Attorney-General will ask the Supreme Court to expedite the proceedings.

Premier's Statement On Britain's Fiscal Status Causes Talk

OTTAWA, Oct. 26.—The declaration by Premier Baldwin that he favors protecting the home market in the United Kingdom has aroused great interest in official and political circles here.

The advocates of protection look upon it as something which was inevitable and it has been foreshadowed in parliament as developments which were expected. Low tariff advocates, however, are disposed to regard it as a retrograde step and to pin their faith to the hope that it will mean the defeat of the present British Premier if he goes to the people upon it as an issue.

The official view here is, as it has long been, that the tariff question was a matter for the British people and Canada should not interfere in it.

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Mr. Fisher had lived in this city for twenty years, having come here from New York. Besides his Seattle interests, he also was head of the Pacific Coast Pipe Company, of Vancouver, B.C. He was associated with manufacturing agencies in Spokane and in Portland, Ore. He is survived by a widow.

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EMPIRE SETTLEMENT

In some respects this Dominion and Britain appear to be working at cross purposes in the matter of encouraging British people to come and settle in this country. The question of peopling the Empire was recently laid before the Imperial Economic Conference in a very full fashion by Lieut.-Colonel Buckley, Parliamentary Secretary to the Department of Overseas Trade. He explained the provisions of the Empire Settlement Act and then he went on to discuss the meagre results that it had secured. He pointed out that under this Act Australia has taken a larger number of settlers than any other Dominion. The Australian Government invited a British delegation to go to that Commonwealth and see the conditions of settlement at first hand. Such a commission went, headed by Sir William Windham, and some months were spent inspecting the area of settlement in Australia. From that country the commission went to New Zealand for the same purpose.

Colonel Buckley informed the Economic Conference that following the commission's visit it was estimated that migration to Australia next year would not exceed 50,000 persons. New Zealand is not likely to increase in any conspicuous degree her absorption of migrants next year and the same is held to apply to Canada unless this country has some new proposals to make. The British Parliament authorized the expenditure of £1,500,000 during the first year of the operation of the Empire Settlement Act. The financial commitments fell far short of this amount. There is £3,000,000 authorized for 1924 and Colonel Buckley says there is no prospect on the present basis of expending this sum.

The report submitted to the Economic Conference thus shows that it is not any difficulty as to finance on the British side which stands in the way of British emigrants leaving for the Overseas Dominions. It asks the Conference to consider the problem of the causes which have led to such meagre results being secured. It asks are they economic, are they political, are they psychological? What should be discovered is whether there is lack of organization or confidence either in Britain or in the Dominions. It points out that the passage of the Empire Settlement Act was a genuine effort to promote the new policy of migration. The results, however, have fallen far short of anticipation and there can be no question that there has been a lack of response to the efforts of the British Government shown by the authorities in this Dominion. Canada lacks an immigration policy and until she finds one all the propaganda on which she is engaging in this particular must fall far short of the hopes of those who believe that every effort should be made to people this country with the right kind of population.

IMMIGRATION

The visit of Mrs. Ralph Smith to England and her statement on her return proves at least that what Canada wants is some definite plan for promoting immigration. She found plenty of would-be immigrants "young, intelligent and able to work." They have no means, however, of getting transportation to this Dominion and until such means are found they must remain where they are. Canada need not expect to get her immigrants from Britain by propaganda work alone. If she wants them in larger numbers she will have to help them to come here. That is what Mrs. Ralph Smith discovered, and if she succeeds in impressing it on the Dominion Government to the extent that an immigration policy will be devised, her trip will have been well worth while.

LAW AND EDUCATION

An exceedingly valuable suggestion in the matter of educational development has come from Lord Justice Atkin who puts forward the idea that a wider teaching of law would be valuable in the schools. The significance and moral force of the law is seldom impressed on the young though something in this respect is being done by the teaching of "civics," a name ill chosen for the matter to which it refers. The Lord Justice who urges a wider application of the teaching of law says he is not prepared to consider any question of education apart from the formation of character, and at a time of fluctuating standards it is desirable to be "brought back to the very old and well-established code of morality, to the simple and ancient standard of truth, honesty and loyalty which is maintained by the English law." This, in his opinion, can be done in some respects by the study of the principles of English law. There is pertinent comment in The London Times on the value of the suggestion put forward by Lord Justice Atkin. We quote an excerpt:

In Roman days the children in school learnt by heart the Twelve Tables, the code which Livy describes as "fons omnis publici privatique juris." The Roman people absorbed from their school days legal conceptions and ideals of right and wrong, and the fact is one that cannot be neglected in the history of Roman provincial government. Our common law pervades a great part of the Empire as well as the United States of America. Some teaching of the law to which Blackstone gave a permanent literary shape might well form part of school courses in history. If the study of "civics" were so supplemented in the secondary schools, a new stability would be added to social life, and much unrest in the future would be prevented. When the various universities of the Empire take some practical steps for the inclusion of law as one of the subjects for a degree in arts, the secondary schools will speedily adjust their curriculum to the new conditions, and a great educational reform of Imperial significance will be secured.

A SENSE OF PROPORTION

Premier Baldwin, of Great Britain, in a speech to the Philip Stott College of Social Studies, said that there could be no greater object of true education than to teach and to preserve a sense of proportion. He exhorted his hearers to clear their minds of cant and not to be content blindly to "follow the syllogism." Commenting on his advice The London Times says: "Cant is the overemphasizing of a high sounding sentiment or a glittering generality without due scrutiny of its pretensions; while the blind follower of the syllogism makes a god of the machine of thought and sacrifices to it life's real value." The essence of the advice given is that the individual should cease to live under the dominating shadow of his own personality. He should stand back from his own picture and estimate and gauge it dispassionately and think of it in the light of its sense of proportion in the scheme of things. The new spirit that can thus be born will add many cubits to his moral stature.

One reason why The London Daily Herald and other Labor newspapers find it difficult to carry on their ventures is stated to be that they are out of touch with their readers. In Britain, Professor J. H. Longford points out, that Labor leaders and Labor newspapers subordinate domestic affairs to a blind advocacy of German and Russian interests—principally, German. He says: "I am satisfied that in doing so they totally misrepresent the mass of their followers, many of whom have fought in the war, have been prisoners in German camps, have been crippled or have lost their near relatives, and now know the German soul, through and through."

The Japanese Government is drafting a manhood suffrage Bill which proposes to give the franchise to males of twenty-five years old and over on a six months residential qualification without any tax limitation. The measure also will propose that monks, priests and school teachers will be eligible for election. It is regarded as the most revolutionary proposal put forward from an official source in the recent history of the country. The small extension of the suffrage made in 1919 is not comparable with the present intention. The Bill is likely to meet with strenuous opposition from the Seiyukai, the most powerful political party in Japan.

In Old Russia the universities were usually filled with students coming from the poorer classes. They are now open only to the sons and daughters of Commissars and "Napmans," the latter of whom are the Soviet nouveaux riches. It is enormously difficult for anyone not connected with a Communist organization to be admitted to a university. The fees, in the conditions of Soviet Russia, are prohibitive to all but the richest members of the present day Russian community. There is no country in the world today where there is greater inequality of opportunity than in Russia.

Marshal Tsao Kun, the new President of the Republic of China, was a private soldier in the ranks before he began to study military science. His career has been wholly military. His election by the Senators and Members of the Chinese Parliament brings to an end an interregnum which has lasted since June 13. The new President is 61 years old. His election marks the turning over of a new leaf in China's affairs. From the military standpoint he will be in a strong position to deal with the forces of brigandage which have promoted such chaos in China's affairs.

The United States Government is considering a scheme for tax revision which includes a downward scaling of the income tax. Surtaxes upon large incomes are to be lowered and there is to be a reduction in the normal rate on small incomes. In Canada there is, so far, no such prospect for the taxpayer and one reason is that governments here have not yet awakened to the necessity for economic administration.

For 600 years students have been trying and arguing for clearer and more common English translations of the Bible.

Note and Comment

By R. B. D.

We are in a quandary today. We have received a communication from an esteemed correspondent, one whose opinion we value very highly indeed, and we hardly know what to do about the aforesaid document. We are not sure whether the writer wished the letter to be published or whether he intended it for our private eye. However, as the matter it contains is interesting, and as, presumably, the public pays for the privilege of reading interesting stuff, we are going to take a chance. Indeed we might as well be quite frank about the matter and confess that too often it is a very difficult task indeed to find subjects for daily comment in this place, that is for comment upon subjects likely to be interesting to the public; hence we are greatly relieved and correspondingly delighted when anyone drops a letter in the box that will help us along our sometimes weary way.

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Here is the letter, which of course is not marked "private and confidential":

"1358 Pandora Avenue,
"Victoria, B.C., Oct. 25.

"R. D. B., Colonist:

"I always read your column with interest and pleasure. I usually agree with your sentiments, except when you discuss prohibition and golf.

"In today's Colonist you deprecate fighting and human selfishness. Here is a quotation from the pen of E. B. Osborne, literary editor of The Morning Post of London, which might interest you:

"'Man is a fighting animal. If this had not been so we would all now be amphibious mudfish leading an ambiguous life between the marks of high tide and low, or else green-whiskered monkeys in the green tree-top'

"F. ANDREWS."

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Now readers may not believe it, but there is something unique, if not actually extraordinary, about this letter of Mr. Andrews—it is so seldom that any subscriber to a newspaper will admit that he reads any part of it with interest and pleasure. We are so accustomed to criticism, sharp, keen and biting, and comment of this kind is so shattering to all experience, that we have to pause for a moment for the purpose of recovering from the shock of surprise and astonishment.

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We assure our correspondent that we are delighted to hear that he disagrees with our views upon some public questions. This column would become "flat, stale and unprofitable" if all its readers agreed with the sentiments expressed in it. The convictions of Mr. Andrews upon the subject of prohibition are well known. They are convictions that are deeply rooted and "sot," we believe; but the lamp is still burning, and we are not without hope that what with the promptings of reason and the teachings of experience, peppered with some judicious note and comment, even our correspondent may be induced to modify his views.

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We advise Mr. Andrews not to take a seat in the chair of the scornful in this matter of golf. The germ is in the air and it is aggressive and more permeating, apparently, than the invisible agencies which account for the spread of many diseases. We are speaking from dear-bought experience on this question. We look around us, and see that practically the whole of the community is becoming affected. Small boys and girls as well as men and women well stricken in years are carrying golf clubs—we came very near offending again by calling them sticks. Golf links are springing up or are being put down in all sorts of places—some of them in the most unexpected places. The University of Oxford, dispatches inform us, has opened its first golf course. Two Canadian universities have decided upon the institution of annual competitions in golf. Our young men in shoals are giving up other games for the purpose of "taking up" golf. There is a fever in the atmosphere which cannot be arrested and annihilated. Like Mr. Andrews, we once scoffed at it and contemned those who practised it. We have been forced to recognize it, even to embrace it. Mr. Andrews may find himself in a similar position some day, and we advise him to be canny, or he may, like us, be a subject for the scornful.

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There is no doubt that the literary editor of The London Morning Post is quite right when he says that man is a fighting animal. Man is proving the truth of the assertion every day. He is fighting and wrestling wherever he lives and moves and has his being. In some places the shedding of blood is part of the order of his occupations. In other places he is fighting, very often by reprehensible means and schemes, for wealth, position and power. In no instance that we know of has the sword been converted into a ploughshare or the spear into a pruning hook. The temper of the sword is keener and the point of the spear is sharper than ever before in the sanguinary history of mankind. The very converse of peace on earth and goodwill toward men prevails everywhere.

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Still there is some ground for hope of the dawn of a better day. Man is a laughing animal as well as a fighting animal. Some other animals are playful in their habits, but they cannot laugh; apparently they have no sense of humor. If man could only see himself as others see him; if he could be persuaded to hold up a mirror to nature and behold himself as he really is—a most ridiculous and absurd creature—perhaps he might for very shame change his ways and be guided in his conduct by reason and common sense.

Poems That Endure

Unlwisting all the chains that tie
The hidden soul of harmony.
—John Milton.

GULF-WEED

A weary weed, tossed to and fro,
Drearily drenched in ocean brine,
Soaring high and sinking low,
Lashed along without will of mine:
Sport of the spume of the surging sea;
Flung on the foam, afer and anear,
Mark my manifold mystery—
Growth and grace in their palace appear.

I bear round berries, gray and red,
Rootless and rover though I be;
My spangled leaves, when nicely spread,
Arboresce as a trunkless tree;
Corals curious coat me o'er,
White and hard in apt array;
Mid the wild waves' rude uproar
Gracefully grow I, night and day.

Hearts there are on the sounding shore,
Something whispers soft to me,
Restless and roaming for evermore,
Like this weary weed of the sea;
Hear they yet on each beating breast
The eternal type of the wondrous whole,
Growth unfolding amidst unrest,
Grace informing with silent soul.

—Cornelius George Fenner.

Vignettes From O. HENRY

Little Stories by a Great Story-Teller

BAD HEARD ENOUGH

"Let's see," said the genial manager of the world lecturer as he looked over the atlas. "Here's a town one might strike on our way back. Autanamarino, the capital of Madagascar, is a city of 100,000 inhabitants.

"That sounds promising," said the lecturer, running his hand through his hair; "read some more about it."

"The people of Madagascar," continued the genial manager, reading from his book, "are not a savage race and few of the tribes could be classed as barbarous people. There are many native orators among them, and their language abounds in figures, metaphors and parables, and ample evidence is given of the mental ability of the inhabitants."

"Sounds like it might be all right," said the humorist, "read some more."

"Madagascar is the home," read the manager, "of an enormous bird called the epyornis, that lays an egg 15 1-2 by 9 1-2 inches in size, weighing from ten to twelve pounds. These eggs——"

"Never mind reading any more," said the world lecturer, "we will not go to Madagascar."

Toddlekins

Toddlekins climbed up the long, long stair;
Chubby and fat and round was he;
With red, rosy cheeks and light curling hair,
Jolly and fair and gay was he.

Toddlekins knocked on the office door;
Within at a desk a stern man sat;
Wrote with a pen while a frown he wore,
When he heard on the door a rat-tat-tat.

Toddlekins cried, "Oh, please let me in!
I've come to see you, the door is fast!"
Oh, voice so soft, it will surely win
The heart of the stern, cold man at last!

But he heeded not the pleading cry
Of Toddlekins out on the lonely stair;
And Toddlekins left with a sorrowful sigh,
Toddlekins round, and chubby and fair.

Oh, man so stern, when you stand and plead
At the door of your Father's house on high;
What if He, merciless, pay no heed;
Pitiless, turns from your helpless cry!

But the man wrote on with a stony stare;
He was an editor, poor and ill;
And Toddlekins, chubby and round and fair,
Was a butcher that brought a big meat bill.

RYAN COMPANY GETS LIBRARY CONTRACT

Vancouver Contractors to Build New Unit of University of British Columbia

The Ryan Construction Company, which already has the contract for building the science building of the University of British Columbia, was yesterday awarded the contract for building the new library at a cost within the estimate of $400,000, according to announcement made by Hon. W. H. Sutherland, Minister of Public Works.

The Ryan Construction Company's tender is said to have been about $20,000 less than that of the nearest competitor.

An elephant's legs are nearly perpendicular.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily British Colonist of October 27, 1873)

Personal—Among the passengers by the Prince Alfred was Mr. George Harvey, brother of Mr. James Harvey, merchant, of Nanaimo. Mr. Harvey left his native home on the 23rd ultimo, and is in excellent health and spirits after his long but rapid journey. He proceeds to his future home in Nanaimo this morning.

Treasure Shipped—Wells-Fargo's Express carried away $76,918.21 in treasure yesterday, distributed as follows: Bank of British North America, $34,847.43; Bank of British Columbia, $12,413; F. Garesche, $14,538.78.

San Juan Garrison—A number of the members of the old British garrison on San Juan Island, who went to England a few months ago, have returned to settle in the Province.

By the Way—

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Origin of Hawaiians Obscure

THE origin of the Hawaiian people is obscure. Oldest inhabitants of the islands told the earliest missionaries that the largest island was produced from a large egg, deposited by an immense bird upon the water, which, bursting, formed the present island. From that first land the other islands of the Hawaiian group developed automatically.

The conservative Hawaiians of early days stoutly held the opinion that the first human inhabitants of the islands descended from the gods, or were created by a miracle upon the islands. Some of the earliest American missionaries found conclusive evidence, to their minds, that the Hawaiians sprang from the lost ten tribes of Israel. The Rev. S. Dibble, in his "History of the American Mission," 1843, gives much space to tracing the parallels between customs and traditions of the Hawaiians and the ceremonies and scripture of the Jews.

CHURCH ANNIVERSARY

Sooke Presbyterians Will Observe the Twenty-Fifth Year of Activities Tomorrow

SOOKE, Oct. 27—Twenty-five years ago, on the last Sunday in October, 1898, the first service was held in the then newly erected Presbyterian Church in Sooke, and the congregation is making arrangements to fittingly commemorate the twenty-fifth anniversary of their church opening on Sunday, October 28.

The morning service will be held at 11 o'clock as usual; the Rev. S. Lundie will preach and dispense the Lord's Supper.

Instead of the regular evening service a special anniversary service will be held at 3 o'clock, at which the Rev. Thomas Menzies, M.P.P., will occupy the pulpit. The change in the hour of service has been made to give Victoria friends of the congregation an opportunity to attend the anniversary at Sooke.

On Tuesday, October 30, a social gathering will be held at 8 p.m. in the church, to which the Sooke people as well as Victoria friends are heartily invited.

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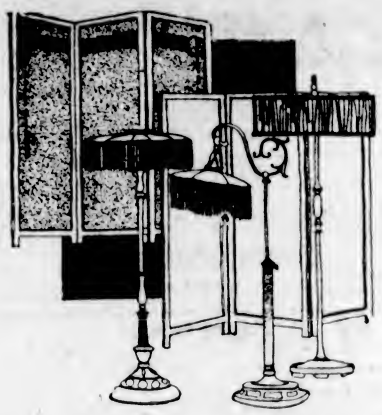

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CLAIMS GARBAGE IS FROM VESSELS

City Engineer Says Refuse Washed Up on Beaches Does Not Come From Garbage Scows

The garbage complained of as being washed up on the shore around Victoria does not come from the garbage scows but from passing shipping, is the opinion of City Engineer Preston expressed in a letter received by the Public Works Committee yesterday afternoon as the result of a request that he report on a recent complaint in this connection.

Mr. Preston pointed out that the only remedy, so far as he could see, was a periodic patrol of the beaches, and he recommended that provision should be made in next year's estimates for such a patrol. The committee agreed to this.

Motor Bandits Shot

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 26.—Two alleged automobile bandits were shot, one probably fatally, in a running gun fight with two detectives pursuing them through the streets of San Francisco in an armored police car early today. They gave their names as John Davis, aged 24, and Herman Henke, aged 19. Davis was shot through the lungs, and his recovery is considered doubtful. Henke is wounded in the leg, arm and thigh He is expected to recover.

"I Now Feel Fine"

Mrs. P. G. Murdoch, Box 433, Portage la Prairie, Man., writes:

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Smith and Fernandez Testify in Their Defence

Story of Accused Police Officers and Their Stool Pigeon Assistant Is Tale of How They Came to Victoria to Trap Chinaman Into Illicit Sale of Opium—Trial Continues Today

W. L. SMITH and F. W. Eccles, officers of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, and Frank Fernandez, their self-confessed stool pigeon, charged before Magistrate Jay with illegal possession of opium, came over to Victoria on August 23 last, for the purpose of trapping Ah Fat into a sale of the illicit drug, according to the stories told by Smith and Fernandez in their own defence yesterday. It was the third day of the trial; and it is by no means certain that it can finish today. Fernandez has still to undergo lengthy cross-examination at the hands of City Prosecutor Harrison. Eccles, the principal person of the accused trio, has yet to be called to the stand by Messrs. J. B. Pattullo, K.C., and J. A. Russell, counsel for the defence.

The defence was frequent in its references to the mysterious "informer number one," a Chinaman known only to the secret service of the drug squad of the Vancouver R.C.M.P., whom Sergeant Robert Mundy, head of the squad, had repeatedly declared would be in danger of his life if his identity were revealed. Sergeant Mundy was very indignant because The Colonist had referred to this informer as a stool pigeon. Sergeant Mundy did not like the use of the phrase "stool pigeon." These informers were very valuable persons, the sergeant thought, and they ought not to be called stool pigeons.

Ah Fat and Another

It was a story of stool pigeons and their ways which the accused gave in court yesterday. Smith told how he had posed as the buyer of morphine, which he had got on his "good looks." Fernandez told how the mysterious Ah Fat, whom the prosecution has challenged the defence to produce in court, and the equally mysterious stool pigeon "informer number one," were respectively vendor and go-between in the purchase of opium which brought the accused to Victoria. The arrangement was that 100 tins were to be delivered at the price of $2,000. "Informer number one" was given the money by Eccles and was to pay it over to Ah Fat when the stuff had been delivered.

Fernandez explained the episode in Beacon Hill Park by saying that it was arranged that the stuff should be delivered in two lots of fifty cans each. One lot was got from the copse of bushes, as it had been left there by Ah Fat or his agents. The arrest of the accused by Customs Officer Norris interfered with the delivery of the second lot, which was to have been made later in the evening.

Fernandez explained his assumption of the false name of Williams, by which he was first of all charged, by saying that he did not want his longshore companions in Vancouver to know that he was doing secret business with the mounted police. He had been doing work for 18 months for them, he admitted, but he had not received more than $250 as a total reward for his services as stool pigeon in that time.

Magistrate Jay commented again yesterday upon the position of the defence, which had been that it would be impossible to produce "informer number one" in court. It was evident from the story of the defence that "informer number one" was known to Fernandez, to a person named Ah Fat, and to the other accused. The court thought that the identity of "informer number one" could not be so sacred after all.

Mr. M. A. Macdonald, K.C., acting for the Dominion Minister of Justice, was again a silent watcher of the proceedings yesterday.

Who Is Ah Fat?

The case was continued yesterday morning with Sergeant Robert Mundy still under cross-examination by Mr. Harrison, who evinced a great curiosity as to the identity of "informer number one."

"Is it that Chinaman there?" asked the prosecutor, pointing to a man who sat behind defence counsel during the trial.

"No, that's not him," answered the witness.

Mr. Harrison—"Who is that man?"

Sergeant Mundy—"A master of arts."

"What is he by occupation?"

"I don't know."

Mr. J. A. Russell and the prosecutor clashed violently over Mr. Harrison's persistent suggestion that Ah Fat was a straw man, used to stuff a straw warrant. Mr. Russell said that Ah Fat was a common Chinese name.

Mr. Harrison—"Yes, so is John Doe."

Mr. Russell—"Your name will go down if you persist in this attitude."

Sergeant Mundy denied that he had sent to Vancouver for further documents overnight. He did not know that such documents had arrived by the early boat. If it had been done, it was without his knowledge. In documents produced by the witness, the name of Ah Fat appeared in reports made by Eccles and "informer number one."

The significance of all this by-play was that Ah Fat was the name sworn to as that of the man from whom Eccles and Smith claim they took the fifty tins of opium forming the basis of the charge against them.

Declines to Answer

Mundy denied that he had got a report from Sergeant Jones as to the arrest of Smith and Eccles. He qualified this, however, by admitting that he received the document which was put in evidence, but which he distinguished as a statement, and not a report. He said he had shown this to Colonel Wroughton, thereby contradicting his chief, who said in his own evidence that he did not remember seeing it at all.

Sergeant Mundy persisted that Eccles, despite the fact that it was not shown on the records, had taken part in many drug cases in Vancouver. Many of these cases were those of addicts taken with small quantities of drugs. In the witness' opinion, Eccles was the most important man in that part of the Vancouver force of the R.C.M.P.

Sergeant Mundy declined to answer questions as to a raid by mounted police in Nanaimo. The same answer was given to a number of questions connecting Eccles with the affair. Mundy also declined to discuss his previous statement that he had arranged to get $100,000 from the Union Bank, in connection with certain work of his department. He said, however, that he had made the arrangements without the knowledge of Colonel Wroughton.

The cross-examination elicited some interesting statements about the illicit "dope" traffic. The great sources of drug smuggling into the Province were the crews of Blue Funnel liners; and the place where the stuff came ashore was Union Bay, when the ships were there for bunkers.

Alleged Aspersions

The opium pipes found in possession of the accused, which the defence say were brought over with them were to be used in connection with the fake deals which were to be staged, said Mundy.

Mr. Pattullo interrupted the cross-examination of Sergeant Mundy to say that Attorney-General Manson had assured him that aspersions would not be permitted against any of the witnesses, unless there was good foundation laid for it.

Mr. Harrison—"The Attorney-General did not tell me that. I will leave it to the court."

Magistrate Jay—"I have heard no aspersions yet—go on with the examination."

Mr. Harrison confronted Mundy with his report to Ottawa on the case and asked him if he would like it read in court. Mundy replied that he would not, that it would not be fair to use it against the accused.

"I will not pain you by reading it, I will give it to His Honor," said the prosecutor, passing it to Magistrate Jay.

Mundy had heard that Smith and Eccles had $2,700 with them when they came over to Victoria. The money was not Government money.

Sergeant Mundy was under cross-examination until the luncheon-hour adjournment.

The Younger Accused

Inspector Thomas M. Shoebotham, R.C.M.P., stationed at Vancouver, was the first witness called at the afternoon session. His evidence was merely to attest the fact that certain written statements made by Eccles and "Informer number one," had been signed in his presence.

Detective Sergeant James Stewart Cather, R.C.M.P., testified that he issued six Chinese pipes, four opium and two tobacco, to Eccles, on the morning of August 22, the day before the trip to Victoria. He had never given out drugs to Eccles for the purpose of catching suspects.

Detective Constable Wallace L. Smith, R.C.M.P., twenty-three years old, the first of the accused called in his own defence, said he had been six years on the force, three years in drug-traffic prevention duty.

Smith said he was instructed on August 22 to go to Vancouver Island, where he was to be joined at Cumberland by Eccles. Later these instructions were changed and he was sent to report to Immigration Inspector Jolliffe. He left Vancouver on the SS. Empress of Canada. His duty was to find and arrest Chow Kum Chee. At Victoria he was met by Eccles. He and Eccles checked the Chinese passengers. Chow Kum Chee was not amongst them.

Eccles told him that he thought he had a deal in drugs lined out. They put up at the Strathcona Hotel. He met Fernandez there. "Informer number one" met them and told them he had a deal lined up for 100 cans of number two opium, retailing at about $20 a can.

The Deal Arranged

The three accused left the hotel next morning. Eccles saw number one. They went to breakfast. Eccles and Fernandez thought the deal could be pulled off that day, so that they could leave for Union Bay that night. At lunch that day Fernandez said he had met the vendor of the opium. The purchase money was in the hands of number one. At two in the afternoon Eccles and Fernandez returned to the hotel, where Smith was waiting, and gave him the black suit case, telling him there were fifty cans of opium in it. During the afternoon they became aware that they were being watched by local officers of the R.C.M.P. Eccles went out, to see if he would be followed.

Then, said Smith, Customs Officer Norris and Sidney Hunt, forced their way into the hotel room at the point of a gun. Smith protested that he was a police officer, and against the show of a gun. They left the hotel to go down to the police station. Hunt took the black suit case. They met Corporal Harvey, R.C.M.P. on the street, who asked what the arrest was for. Then the suit case was broken open by Norris and the opium revealed.

On cross-examination, Smith told how he had posed as the buyer of twenty cases of morphine. He got it "on his good looks," he said; there was no other consideration.

Eccles and Fernandez had told Smith that a Chinaman was going to leave opium for them in Beacon Hill Park. He did not go out with them on that excursion. He did not take part in the purchase of the black suitcase.

Fernandez Testifies

Frank Fernandez, taking the stand next in order, said he was Spanish by birth, and had been twenty-six years in the Province. He was a longshoreman by occupation. He had seen much of drug-smuggling. He had received $250 for his services in the conviction of Ah Gow. He had given much information to the mounted police.

He had been taken along with Eccles in order to arrange a buyer for drugs. He took his new car across so as to make a good impression. His evidence as to the events in which Smith participated agreed with the evidence of that witness.

Fernandez' story of the negotiations was that the prospective vendor, a Chinaman, was introduced to him by "informer number one." After much dickering, Fernandez closed the deal for 100 cans of opium at $200 a can. Fernandez paid $2,000 to number one. It was finally arranged that the first delivery of 50 cans was to be in Beacon Hill Park. He went out to the park and arranged the place with number one. He and Eccles bought the black suit case on Douglas Street. Then he and Eccles went out to the clump in Beacon Hill Park. They found the stuff there, 50 tins in a sack. They put it from the sack into the suit case, and took it back to the hotel, and put it in charge of Smith. Fernandez went out to arrange for the delivery later that night of the second lot of fifty cans.

Fernandez' Blood Money

Fernandez' evidence, given in broken English, was amusing as to the arrival of Customs Officer Norris at the room in the Strathcona Hotel. He admitted he was angry and had used "rough" language to Norris. He insisted that he had shown no fear of Norris and his gun. He knew nothing of the mask found in the park.

Cross-examined by Mr. Harrison, Fernandez said he had given the name of Williams when he was arrested because he did not want the Vancouver longshoremen to know he had dealings with the mounted police. There was a foreman longshoreman in Vancouver by the name of Williams.

He had helped the mounted police for 18 months, and had only received $250 altogether from them. He was to receive 10 per cent of the value of the seizure made in Victoria, on the August trip which had resulted in this charge. He did not know how much number one was to get for his share of the business. He knew they could do business over on Vancouver Island if they came over.

The trial adjourned at this stage until this morning.

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TO SUGGEST CHANGES IN LICENCE BY-LAW

Licence Inspector Will Make Recommendations Regarding Amendments for 1924

The city licence inspector will be asked to make recommendations regarding the amending of the business licence by-law for 1924 in order to remove any discrepancies, injustices, etc., which may at present exist. The public works committee of the City Council decided upon this step yesterday afternoon, after hearing a letter from the Victoria branch of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association in reference to alleged inequalities in the by-law. The matter will be one of those reported on by the inspector.

The communication from the manufacturers, through Mr. T. J. Goodlake, secretary of the Victoria branch, was as follows:

"I am requested by the Victoria branch of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association to call your attention to an inequality in schedule C of the by-law, particularly as it applies to manufacturing businesses included in group D. A comparatively small business employing nine hands is thereby charged the same for a licence as the largest plants in group E, namely $200 per annum, while if ten hands are employed the charge is actually larger, being the maximum for group D, namely $220 per annum.

"On the other hand, small businesses included in groups D and E are both charged at much higher rate than manufacturing businesses with similar staffs comprised in some of the other groups.

"I have further to point out to you that a manufacturer often has a considerable investment in land and improvements thereon, on which he already pays his share of taxation, and that he distributes large sums in wages, whereby many other persons are enabled to make their contributions to civic expenses. It, therefore, does not seem equitable that he should be called upon to pay the same licence fees as a wholesaler, perhaps in a much larger way of business, who, in any case, is importing stocks of goods manufactured elsewhere. Still less does it seem right that a local selling agent for a foreign factory who does not carry stock, but is nevertheless the means of large quantities of goods being imported into the city, should entirely escape payment of a business licence. In many cities it is the practice to grant large concessions to manufacturing plants in the way of exemption from city taxes, free water and power, and so on. The manufacturers whom I represent are not suggesting that such practice would be good business for the city, but they do claim that they are entitled to as much consideration as possible in the comparatively small matter referred to, and I have to ask you to give earnest consideration to the possibility of exempting manufacturing plants entirely from any but a nominal fee. In any case it is hoped that you can undertake a revision of schedule C of the by-law with a view to removing inequalities already pointed out."

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Mrs. Ellen Little Nearly Attained Three Score Years and Ten—Born Here in 1854

By the death of Mrs. Ellen Little, relict of the late John Little, in the Royal Jubilee Hospital yesterday morning after a very short illness, another link with the pioneer life of British Columbia has been severed.

The late Mrs. Little, a daughter of the late Arthur Crogan, of the Hudson's Bay Company's service, was born in this city sixty-nine years ago, and, as she had spent the greater part of her life in the place of her birth, she had seen it grow from an unimportant trading post to its present prestige and had a first-hand knowledge of many of the stirring chapters of its history.

The late Mr. J. A. Daly, municipal electrical inspector, was a son-in-law of the deceased lady, and his recent death was a great shock to her. She was taken suddenly ill Tuesday evening and never recovered consciousness.

The following daughters, Mrs. Amy Daly, of this city; Mrs. A. W. McFee, of Mission, B.C.; Mrs. J. J. Galbraith, of Vancouver, B.C., and Mrs. J. R. Love, of Bellamy's, Ont.; one son, George, of North Vancouver; 27 grandchildren, 7 great-grandchildren, two brothers, Messrs. Arthur and William Crogan; also one sister, Mrs. C. McLachlan, survive.

The funeral will be held Monday afternoon from the Salvation Army Citadel.

OBITUARIES

MORGAN—The remains of Mrs. Ulyssa Byron Morgan were forwarded yesterday afternoon by the B. C. Funeral Co. to Glendale, California, where interment will be made.

PEARSON—The remains of Mr. Edward Pearson are reposing at the B. C. Funeral Chapel, whence the funeral will take place this afternoon at 2:40, proceeding to St. John's Church, where service will be held at 3:45 by Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick. The remains will then be forwarded to Vancouver for cremation.

GREAVES—Funeral service for Mr. Joseph Greaves will be held on Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the chapel of the B. C. Funeral Co. Interment will be made at Ross Bay Cemetery.

Comes to Vancouver Island

VERNON, B. C., Oct. 26.—Rev. Campbell Brown, who for the past three years has been the Presbyterian minister in Oyama, Okanagan Centre and Winfield districts, is leaving at the end of the month for Wellington, Vancouver Island, where he will be in charge of Presbyterian work.

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Libby's Ripe Olives, large tin, reg. 40c for 25¢	reg. 60c size for 47¢
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DR. C. STEINMETZ DIES OF BREAKDOWN

NOTED ELECTRICIAN PASSES AWAY AT HIS HOME

One of Greatest Electrical Experts in World—Success Follows Hard Struggles in Youth

SCHENECTADY, N.Y., Oct. 26.—Dr. Charles Proteus Steinmetz, electrical wizard, died at his home here at 8:15 o'clock this morning. The cause was given as a physical breakdown due to a trip to the Pacific Coast during the last month.

The American career of Charles P. Steinmetz, A.M., Ph.D., chief consulting engineer of the General Electric Works, Schenectady, N.Y., had its beginning in 1889 in New York, where, penniless and able to speak but very little English, he arrived from Zurich, Switzerland. He was accompanied by a young American who had been his fellow student at the Zurich Polytechnicum. A few years later he became a naturalized citizen.

In recent years Dr. Steinmetz was regarded not only as one of the foremost authorities on electrical engineering, but one of the greatest mathematicians in the world. Strangely enough, one of his greatest difficulties as a child was in learning the multiplication table.

Born in Breslau

Born in the city of Breslau, Germany, on April 9, 1865, and educated at its famous university, young Steinmitz early became interested in Socialism at a time when vigorous steps were being taken against it by the Government. An issue of a Socialist publication in which the students were interested and in which Steinmetz had several articles was confiscated, the publication suspended and the editors arrested and imprisoned. Steinmetz fled from Germany and found refuge with a friend, a clergyman, near the Austrian border. From there he went to Zurich.

Two weeks after landing in the United States Steinmetz obtained employment in the manufacturing establishment of Rudolph Eickemeyer at Yonkers, N.Y., as a draftsman. At that time the company was making a few electric motors and generators, and had just taken up work on the problems of the electric street car jointly with Stephen D. Field. All the designs for the experiments with the electric cars passed through his hands. Quarters for a laboratory were obtained and he began to specialize on magnetic testing. His writings on electrical subjects began to attract attention, his discussion of the law of hysteresis eliciting much interest on the part of electrical engineers.

In 1892 the General Electric Company bought the electrical manufacturing business of the Eickemeyer Company, except the making of motors for elevators, which the Otis Company took over to its own plant, and Steinmetz went to the Lynn, Mass., works of the General Electric Company. In January, 1893, he was transferred to the Schenectady works and ever since that time made Schenectady his home. In 1902 he was appointed president of the Board of Education of Schenectady, and in 1915 was elected president of the Common Council of that city on the Socialist ticket. He never married.

Dr. Steinmetz served for many terms as the president of national and international societies connected with the electrical industry. Harvard honored him with the degree of Master of Arts, and Union College made him a Doctor of Philosophy. Since 1912 he had served Union College as professor of electrical engineering and electrophysics.

Authorship

The books written by him include the following: "Theory and Calculation of Alternating Current Phenomena" (1897); "Theoretical Elements of Electrical Engineering" (1901); "Theory and Calculation of Transient Electric Phenomena and Oscillations" (1909); "General Lectures on Electrical Engineering" (1908); "Radiation, Light and Illumination" (1909); "Engineering Mathematics" (1911); "Electric Discharges, Waves and Impulses" (1911); "America and the New Epoch" (1916); "Theory and Calculation of Electric Circuits" (1917); "Theory and Calculation of Electrical Apparatus" (1917). He also wrote numerous papers on mathematical and electrical engineering subjects.

Dr. Steinmetz' special field, in which he was most expert, included magnetics, symbolic method of alternating current calculations and transient phenomena.

The feat of Dr. Steinmetz, which brought him most into public attention during the last year or so was his production of lightning in his laboratory at Schenectady. As the result of experiments he was able to make miniature bolts of lightning dart hither and thither through the room. Observers were always greatly impressed. He succeeded in causing bolts to shatter blocks of wood placed in the laboratory for the purpose.

CITY ASKED TO PAY BILLS OF AUTO CAMP

Trustees Explain Situation to Committee—Told to Get Several Accounts Reduced and Return

The trustees of the Victoria Auto Camp appeared before the Public Works Committee of the City Council yesterday afternoon and requested the city to pay the outstanding debts resulting from the past season. They were told to get two of the bills reduced and come back again.

Speaking on behalf of the other two trustees, Mr. Frank Waring explained to the committee that the hopes of those in charge of the Auto Camp had been much too sanguine. The total revenue had been $1,698, of which $104 remained in the bank. Outstanding debts totalled $1,552, while rent between now and next May would amount to $200. Credits, on the other hand, would amount to $109.

Members of the committee took exception to the bill of $517 put in by Mr. Fred Butterfield, a member of the committee in charge of the camp, for engineering services, and also to the $80 account of Mr. W. Benvie Anderson, for auditing the books of the camp.

Alderman Sargent thought part of the loss should be borne by those who directly benefited from the camp. Alderman Andros held that the city's employees might have done any engineering and auditing work required.

Alderman Sangster, chairman of the committee, asked the trustees to get the engineering and auditing bills reduced and then come back again. The trustees are Messrs. Frank Waring, W. J. Clubb and H. P. Johnson.

Asks Church Recognition

POPE PIUS

Who is keenly interested in the Pan-Russian Church Council to be held in Moscow in December, when a decision will be reached on his proposal that the Russian Church acknowledge the supremacy of the Pope. Parleys are said to be taking place between the churches.

City & District

To Finish Paving—It is expected that the Cotton Company will commence early next week the work of completing the short stretch of paving on Johnson Street extension at the west end of the Johnson Street bridge.

Wiring Inspector — The special committee appointed by the City Council to recommend who shall be appointed to fill the post of wiring inspector will meet this morning to consider the nine applications received.

Workman's Compensation—As the result of the city taking up the case of a city workman who was refused compensation for injury received while at work, the Workmen's Compensation Board has agreed to a rehearing, the Public Works Committee was informed yesterday.

City Comptrollership—The Finance Committee of the City Council will meet today to interview two Mainland applicants for the city comptrollership. They complete the six to which the committee has reduced the long list of those seeking the position. The other four have already met the committee.

Canadian Legion—No executive or general meeting of the Canadian Legion will be held next week. The next meetings will take place on November 5 and 7. Members are requested to bear these dates in mind and arrange to attend these meetings, as matters of importance will be dealt with.

Tuberculous Veterans—A special meeting will be held Monday night at 8 o'clock in the club rooms, Broad Street. The educational campaign and other very urgent matters will be discussed. A large attendance of members is respectively requested as this business is of the utmost importance.

New Members—Three new members were passed at the meeting of the University Women's Club held on Thursday evening at Victoria College. They were Miss Grace Beckwith, Miss Higginbotham and Miss Noonan. The next meeting of the club will be on November 9, when the speaker will be Rev. J. R. Warnicker, the subject to be "Providing Adequately for Old Age."

Gets Card From Moscow — The local firm of Gillespie, Hart & Todd has received a postcard from Mr. Theodore Schneider, Moscow, Russia, asking that he be sent a list of farms and furnished and unfurnished homes. He lives on Pogodinskja Street. The writing on the card was a good example of penmanship. The English is excellent and the spelling correct.

New Companies—Among the new incorporations listed in yesterday's issue of The B.C. Gazette are the following: Income Tax Consulting Bureau, Ltd., with head offices in Vancouver; Globe Security Corporation, Vancouver; Pacific Coast Sales Company, Vancouver, with a capital of $50,000. Murray Jacons Company, of Seattle, and the Eldorado Gold Mining Company, of Seattle, are licensed to do business in British Columbia, with offices in Vancouver.

Central W. C. T. U.—A very interesting paper on "Temperance" was read on Thursday afternoon by Mrs. Sherwood at a meeting of the Central W. C. T. U., at the home of Mrs. Lovatt, 639 Dunedin Street, with Mrs. Russell, president, in the chair. The address brought forth an amount of discussion among the members which occupied the major part of the meeting, after which the hostess served refreshments. The meeting adjourned with a hearty vote of thanks to Mrs. Lovatt.

Preaching Tomorrow—Mr. Carl B. Wetherell, field secretary on the Pacific Coast for the American Unitarian Association, is to be in the city over the week-end. This evening he will meet the congregation and friends of the First Unitarian Church at a social gathering, to be held in the church hall at 8 o'clock, and tomorrow morning at 11 he will occupy the pulpit. The subject of his address will be "Acceptance or Rejection." Mr. Wetherell is well known here, both for his breezy personality and eloquent speaking. His periodical visits are always looked forward to with a great deal of interest.

ONTARIO WINS IN BRITAIN

LONDON, Oct. 24.—The gold medal of the British Dairy Farmers' Association has been awarded to the Government of Ontario for its collection of dairy produce, including bacon, dead poultry and eggs, at the dairy show now being held in Agricultural Hall.

First prize in the colonial farming section was won by the Ontario Beekeepers' Association of Guelph, and the bronze medal was awarded to H. Leclare, of Montmagny, Que.

BRIDGE TO OPERATE ON TEN-MINUTE PLAN

Old Arrangement as to Closed Periods for Trains Remain Pending Board's New Order

Until the Railway Board makes some other order the Johnson Street Bridge will be operated under the old arrangement in regard to keeping the span closed within the time of the arrival and departure of trains, City Engineer Preston stated yesterday.

During the time of construction, he pointed out, conditions have been such that the old agreement, which provides for a closed period within ten minutes of the arrival and departure of trains, was not always closely adhered to. Now that the building of the twin spans is completed, however, he intends to have the ten-minute arrangement closely observed. Ten minutes within the time of arrival and departure is interpreted as meaning ten minutes before and after. The E. & N. Railway wants the Railway Board to alter these conditions so that there is a longer closed period before the departure and after the arrival of trains. Should a train be standing in the station and projecting on to the bridge at a time when a vessel signals for the span outside of the closed periods stipulated in the present agreement, the company will be required to remove that portion of the train obstructing the operation of the span.

COMMISSIONER WILL SEEK ANOTHER TERM

Mr. W. S. Staneland Announces He Will Be in Field at Elections —Dr. Hall Has Year Yet

Police Commissioner Walter E. Staneland will seek a second term in his present office, he announced to The Colonist yesterday. He is now completing the two years for which he was elected. Commissioner Dr. Ernest A. Hall still has another year of his term left.

While some discussion of the question of candidates for the vacancy on the commission is heard, there is nothing definite as to any opposition against the present incumbent's return to office. Mr. Staneland points out that in his two years on the commission he has gained experience of value in the carrying on of a commissioner's duties and has taken pains to gather information which would better fit him for the work. He has made several trips across the continent in connection with police work.

There will be a meeting of the the Police Commission on Tuesday night, when various matters will be considered, and an investigation into the suspension of a member of the force will be made.

VICTORIA EXHIBITS WANTED FOR LONDON

Alderman Harvey Asks What Manufacturers Will Assist—To Have City's Name on Products

Alderman John Harvey, chairman of the Industrial Committee of the City Council, has taken up with Premier John Oliver the question of having Victoria exhibits in the British Columbia section of the Empire Exhibition next year in London labelled with the name of the city and placed together. The Premier has agreed to give the request consideration, and suggested to the Alderman that he ascertain what exhibits would be forthcoming from Victoria.

The city representative is, therefore, asking that manufacturers notify him at the City Hall what exhibits they are prepared to place in the exhibition. He has suggested a model ship, sashes and doors, canned fruit and jams, a model house, and the products of various other factories here.

An outline of his scheme was given to the Public Works Committee of the City Council yesterday afternoon by Alderman Harvey. Mayor Hayward pointed out that a local resident had suggested to him that the city enter in the exhibition a reproduction of one of the fine panoramas to be found in Victoria. Alderman Harvey will take up the matter with the gentleman who made the proposal.

"I want to secure a list of promised exhibits," explained Alderman Harvey to The Colonist, "and then I can go back to the Premier with something definite as requested. I would like to have offers of exhibits as soon as possible."

THE WEATHER

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 8 p.m., October 26, 1923.

SYNOPSIS

The barometer remains abnormally high over Northern British Columbia, and fine weather, with moderate winds, is general from Alaska to California, and eastward to the Great Lakes.

TEMPERATURE

	Min.	Max.
Victoria	44	58
Vancouver	36	54
Kamloops	32	54
Barkerville	24	38
Prince Rupert	44	56
Kelowna	38	54
Atlin	34	42
Dawson, Y.T.	34	30
Winnipeg, Man.	38	46
Portland, Ore.	44	64
San Francisco, Cal.	54	74
Seattle, Wash.	44	54
Penticton	29	43
Grand Forks	24	52
Nelson	28	49
Cranbrook	18	42
Edmonton, Alta.	32	52
Prince Albert, Sask.	20	50

FRIDAY

Maximum	56
Minimum	44
Average	51
Minimum on the grass	36

Bright sunshine, 5 hours, 54 minutes.
General state of the weather, clear.

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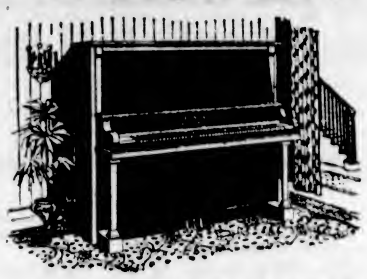

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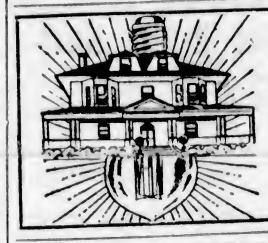

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Provincial Party of British Columbia MEETINGS

Will Be Held at 8 P.M. on the Following Dates

Saanichton Agricultural Hall
TONIGHT
Oak Bay, St. Mary's Hall, Tuesday, October 30

Dr. J. W. McIntosh, ex-M.L.A. and Commander N. Lewis, R.N. Will Discuss the Aims and Objects of the Provincial Party

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Special Afternoon Tea at 25c

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—4th Floor

Flannelette Special

Snow White Saxony Flannelettes, with a soft velvety finish, equal to the best obtainable in pre-war days. Excellent wearing quality, and an ideal cloth for women's and children's wear. 34 inches wide. Special, per yard **29c**

—Main Floor

Beautiful Fur-Trimmed Coats

Exceptional Values Today at $29.50, $39.50, $45.00 and $49.50

The wise woman will buy her Winter Coat now, while styles are fresh and the range of colors and fabrics offer the widest possible choice. Careful buying, and forethought in studying the fashion tendencies enable us to offer most authentic modes at remarkably low prices.

New Winter Coats $29.50

Fashioned from soft quality velour cloth, in the season's newest shades of brown, reindeer, navy and others. Straight and wrap-around models, with crushable collars of beaverine and Belgian hare, in zinc and fawn. Some are trimmed with cable stitching, all full lined. Sizes to 42. Price **$29.50**

Fur-Trimmed Coats, $39.50

Stylish Winter models made from all wool duvetyn and velour in shades of brown, Nubian, Chipa blue and other popular shades. Made in the new wrap-around effect with smart tie-up girdles, wide sleeves, choker and long roll collars of beaverine, full lined. Sizes to 42. Price **$39.50**

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—2nd Floor

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Coats for the Little Girls

Made from good quality blanket cloth, straight or belted style, lined throughout with flannelette. Come in shades of red, saxe and rose. Sizes 1 to 4 years. Price **$4.50**

Coats for Bigger Girls

Girls' Coats in serviceable blanket cloth, convertible collar, all round belt; lined with good quality sateen. Come in shades of fawn and dark brown. Sizes 8 and 10 years. Price **$8.50**

Sizes 12 and 14 years. Price **$10.50**

Neat Tailored Coats in smart tweeds, raglan sleeves, inverted pleat at back, large patch pockets. Come in shades of blue and grey and green and grey mixtures. Sizes 8 and 10 years. Price **$13.75**

Sizes 12 and 14 years. Price **$15.75**

—2nd Floor

Girls' English Raincape Special

Made from best quality Paramatta cloth, guaranteed absolutely waterproof. Neat fitting hood, with plaid lining. Sizes 4 to 10 years. Values to $4.25. Today **$2.98**

—2nd Floor

Infants' Jiffy Pants, 49c

Made from pure gum rubber, positively waterproof. Large sizes in white, pink, and natural. Price **49c**

—2nd Floor

Infants' Bathrobes

Bathrobes, in lovely soft quality blanket cloth, with round collar and long sleeves. Cord at waist. Come in pretty floral patterns in light and dark colors. Sizes 1 and 2 years. Price **$1.75**

—2nd Floor

A Special in Girls' Beaver Hats

Smart Beaver Hats, with roll and straight brims, trimmed with ribbon streamers and bands. Sizes to fit girls from 5 to 15 years. Excellent hats for school wear. Wonderful value this morning only **$3.50**

—2nd Floor

Women's Mocha Gloves

Mocha Gauntlet Gloves

With strap wrist, self points, pique sewn; in tan, grey, beaver. Sizes 6 to 7¼. Per pair **$1.75**

Mocha Gauntlet Gloves

Heavier quality, with strap wrist, pique sewn and self points; in tan, grey or beaver. Sizes 6 to 7½. Per pair **$2.25**

Mocha Gauntlets

With heavy silk embroidered points, strap wrist and outside sewn seams. Sizes 6 to 7¼. Per pair **$3.00**

Mocha Fur Cuff Gauntlet Gloves

Mocha Gauntlet Gloves, fleece lined, with fur cuff and elastic wrist; pique sewn. Come in tan and grey in sizes 6 to 7. Per pair **$3.00**

—Main Floor

Reliable Qualities in Wool Cashmere Hose

All-Wool Cashmere Hose

With reinforced heels and toes, narrow hem top. Medium weight, and just right for the woman who does not like a heavy hose. Black only. Sizes 8½ to 10. Per pair **75c**

English Cashmere Hose

Black or Brown Cashmere Hose, with 2½-inch hem, double heels and toes. Sizes 8½ to 10. Per pair **$1.00**

Hudsonia All-Wool Cashmere Hose

Specially made for Hudson's Bay Company, with wide suspender tops, seamless leg, strongly reinforced at heels and toes. In black, brown, coating, emerald, grey, white, navy, seal and purple. Sizes 8½ to 10½. Per pair **$1.25**

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Extraordinary Values Offering in Fashionable Jacquettes and Over-Blouses

Included in this group are smart jacquettes in pretty checked ratine in shades of fallow and blue, sand and rust, bisque and Copen and jade and gold. Smart roll collar, three-quarter length sleeves, fastens with tie sash at side.

Others in over-blouse style in heavy quality pongee, all-over pattern in Egyptian colorings. Collar can be worn high or low; long sleeves, collar and cuffs trimmed with plain pongee. Many other smart models to choose from. Special at **$7.98**

—2nd Floor

A Direct Importation of French Tunics for Evening Wear

These handsome French Tunics come in lovely beaded and sequin effects, including black, ivory, iridescent and Egyptian colorings. When worn over a plain silk dress of suitable color, they make the most charming of evening gowns at a very small cost. Priced as low as **$11.95**

Others at **$13.50, $15.00, $16.50, $17.50, $25.00** up to **$35.00**

—Main Floor

385 Yards of Cretonne, Values to 75c for 39c

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No. 250 White and Pink Figured Cloth, mercerized finish. Special **79c**

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Women's Brushed Wool Tuxedo Coats

Made with adjustable tuxedo front, which can be worn open or buttoned up to neck. Long sleeves with turned-back cuffs, two patch pockets and narrow cross-over belt. Come in pearl trimmed bluebell, camel trimmed navy or humming bird, fawn trimmed navy; also in black trimmed white. Ideal garments for skating. Price at **$10.75**

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Very smart garments, with tuxedo front, two novelty pockets; belt fastens with smart buckle. Price **$13.50**

—2nd Floor

Children's Hosiery

Reliable Qualities—Popular Prices

Boys' or Girls' Golf Hose

With turn-down fancy embroidered top. Made in England from heavy worsted yarns; spliced heels and toes, shaped leg. Come in heather, lovat, grey, black, navy, brown and white. Sizes 6½ to 9. Per pair **75c**

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—Main Floor

Cocoa Door Mats 85c Each

Excellent quality Cocoa Door Mats, with the diamond back. Size 14 by 24. Price ..... **85¢**

12 Japanese Rugs to Clear

In appearance they look like the real Oriental rugs. Shown in soft rich colorings. Size 2.6 by 5.0. Special value at, each **$3.75**

—3rd Floor

Drug Specials for Today

Listerine, value $1.00 for ..... **88¢**
Wright's Coal Tar Soap, value 25c for ..... **19¢**
Peps, for colds, value 50c, **38¢**
Listerine, value 35c for ..... **27¢**
Watkin's Mulsified Cocoanut Oil, value 50c, for ..... **38¢**
O'Orsay Face Powder, value $1.50 for **$1.18**
Melba Nail Whitener, value 35c for ..... **23¢**
Melba Toilet Water, value $2.00 for **$1.33**
English Wash Gloves, value 35c for ..... **23¢**
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—Main Floor

Black Duchesse Satins $1.98 a Yard

Heavy Quality Rich Black Duchesse Satins, with a bright lustrous finish and of fine even weave. A quality that we can confidently recommend to give the greatest amount of satisfaction; 38 inches wide. Regular $2.50. Special, per yard **$1.98**

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36-Inch Satin Radium

Rich shimmering satins for evening wear, in a full range of wanted colorings; 36 inches wide. Per yard **$1.95**

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In a weight for dresses, blouses and other purposes; all colors; 40 inches wide. Yard **$1.95**

39-Inch Silk Crepe Celiste

A wonderful silk fabric for evening and afternoon wear. Shown in beautiful shades of Nile, champagne, rose, almond, gold, paeon, tan, peach, orchid and flame; 39 inches wide. Per yard **$2.95**

—Main Floor

Girls' School Boots

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Brown and Black Calfskin Lace Boots, with stout pliable uppers, extra heavy soles on a comfortable fitting school last. These are real serviceable boots for school or play wear. Sizes 11 to 2.

Black, per pair **$4.00**
Brown, per pair **$4.50**

—Main Floor

Boys' School Boots

Solid leather boots, strongly constructed to withstand the roughest of wear. Extra strong soles and stout uppers with bellows tongue; tan only. One of the most serviceable boots you can buy. Sizes 1 to 5. Special value, per pair **$3.75**

—Main Floor

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Boys will like the mannish cut of these Overcoats, with their big practical pockets, trim 3-piece belts and wide collars. They are tailored from all-wool fabrics of sturdy quality that will give lots of comfort, warmth and wear. Sizes 10 to 17 years. Special value **$13.50**

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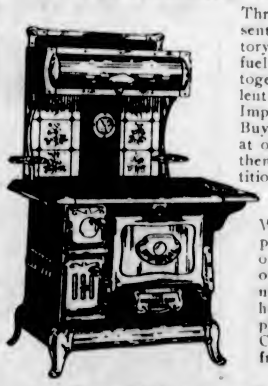

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With high warming closet, polished steel top, graduated oven damper, white enamel oven door and thermometer, nickel plated towel bar and heavy nickel-plated base **$68.00**

Complete with pin water front. Price **$73.00**

—Lower Main Floor

Low Prices on Quebec Heaters

The body is built of steel and lined with heavy fire brick, cast iron top, doors and legs, fitted with duplex shaker grate. Perfect draught control through agency of two nickel-plated dampers situated in fire-box and ashpit door. The whole is finished in attractive nickel trimmings. Price **$18.50**

Larger sizes ..... **$22.00** and **$23.50**

—Lower Main Floor

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Hudson's Bay Company's Seal of Quality Creamery Butter, per lb. ..... **47¢**
3 lbs. for **$1.38**
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Pure Bulk Lard, per lb., **20¢**
3 lbs. for ..... **58¢**
Machine Sliced Ayrshire Roll, per lb. ..... **38¢**
Choice Quality Machine Sliced Side Bacon, lb. ..... **35¢**
Peameal Back Bacon, lb., **38¢**
Seal of Quality Brand Pure Pork Sausages, per lb. ..... **45¢**
Canadian Stilton Cheese, per lb. ..... **40¢**
Hudson's Bay Company's Special Breakfast Tea, lb. ..... **55¢**
3 lbs. for **$1.60**
Fine Quality Pure Breakfast Cocoa, per lb. ..... **10¢**
Freshly Roasted Pure Coffee, whole, ground or pulverized, per lb. ..... **35¢**
3 lbs. for **$1.00**
Paterson's Royal Burgh Afternoon Tea Oatcakes. Special, per tin ..... **35¢**
Fancy Malaga and Emperor Grapes, per lb., **20¢** and **25¢**
Large Pomegranates at, each ..... **15¢**
Extra Choice Dessert Apples, 3 lbs. for ..... **25¢**
Valencia Oranges, per dozen, **25¢, 35¢** and ..... **50¢**
California Grapefruit, 2 for ..... **25¢**
3 for ..... **25¢**
Sunkist Lemons, doz. ..... **45¢**
Hothouse Tomatoes, lb., **20¢**
Large Cauliflower, each, **25¢**
Local Quinces, per lb. ..... **25¢**
Fine Quality Pumpkin, at, per lb. ..... **3¢**

Cabbage, spinach, celery, squash, vegetable marrow, carrots, beets, parsnips, turnips, etc.

—Lower Main Floor

Week-End Candy Special

Hudson's Bay Company's Special Assorted Chocolates, comprising chocolate sticks, chips, velvets, caramels and kokers, strawberry, lemon, maple, vanilla and coffee creams. Special, per lb. **37c**

—Main Floor

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—Mezzanine Floor

Social Events

Honors Lady Cameron

In honor of Lady Cameron, of Vancouver, Mrs. Peters entertained at bridge and mah jong on Thursday afternoon at her home in Esquimalt. The rooms were prettily decorated with pink chrysanthemums and dahlias, while the tea table was decorated with yellow chrysanthemums. The guests were Lady Cameron, Lady McBride, Lady Barnard, Mrs. Bowser, Mrs. Eaton, Mrs. C. Todd, Mrs. C. E. Thomas, Mrs. G. Johnston, Mrs. Pooley, Mrs. Prior, Mrs. Hargraves, Mrs. W. H. Sutherland, Mrs. Joseph Hunter, Mrs. A. C. Burdick, Mrs. C. C. Bennett, Mrs. Angus, Mrs. J. M. Ross, Mrs. Goward, Mrs. Little and Miss Irving.

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Bridge Hostess

Mrs. Alex J. Fraser was a hostess at bridge on Thursday afternoon at her home on Joan Crescent, Craigdarroch, when her guests included Mrs. R. P. Rithet, Mrs. A. N. Mouat, Mrs. C. P. Hill, Mrs. W. Dick, Mrs. F. W. Jones, Mrs. J. A. Turner, Miss Hartland, of Toronto; Mrs. W. Fleet Robertson, Mrs. W. F. George, Mrs. Hammond King, Mrs. J. Ashworth, Miss Schwartz, Mrs. J. O. Wilson, Mrs. Brough, of Toronto, Mrs. Carlyle, Mrs. E. H. Wilson and Miss Galletley. Mrs. Keating and Mrs. R. H. Oliver presided at the tea table.

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Entertained at Tea

Mrs. K. Caddell, 1052 Johnson Street, entertained at tea on Wednesday the following guests: Mrs. W. A. Dodd and Mrs. F. Swingler, of Lethbridge, Alta., Mrs. J. Harris, Mrs. F. Harris, Mrs. F. Taylor, Mrs. D. Taylor and Mrs. Musgrave. After tea a delightful time was spent in music and games.

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Port Angeles Visitors

The Rev. and Mrs. W. H. Hellman and their little baby daughter, of Port Angeles, Washington, are house guests of the Rev. and Mrs. R. F. Kibler, at St. Paul's Lutheran Parsonage, 2124 Chambers Street. Rev. Mr. Hellman is the pastor of Trinity Lutheran Church of Port Angeles.

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Honors Miss Day

Miss "Totie" Day, who is leaving next week for Vancouver, was the guest of honor yesterday, when Miss Norma Macdonald entertained at her home, St. Charles Street, with two tables of bridge.

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Vancouver Visitor

Miss Dorothy Bell-Irving, of Vancouver, arrived in the Capital on Thursday and will be the guest of Miss Valerie Maude.

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Dinner Hosts

Mr. and Mrs. W. Todd entertained a few friends at dinner last night at their home, "Wilmar," St. Charles Street. Covers were laid for six.

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Goes to Vancouver

Mrs. Homer Dixon, of Moss Street, is the week-end guest of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Cameron, Vancouver.

NANAIMO

Musicale and Tea

A delightful musicale and afternoon tea, given in aid of the educational work of the Bastion Chapter, I.O.D.E., was held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. E. T. Powers, Newcastle Townsite. The reception rooms were bright with Autumn flowers artistically arranged by Mrs. W. W. Lewis. The home-baking stall was in charge of Mrs. Thomas Spencer, and a drawing was held for a basket of everlasting flowers, made and donated by Mrs. A. E. Planta, and a box of candy donated by Mrs. Powers. An enjoyable musical programme was contributed to by the following: Mrs. C. J. Trawford, Mrs. W. W. Gray, Mrs Fawcett, Miss Dobeson, Mrs. J Greenshields, Mrs. W. F. Drysdale and Miss Dunsmore. Mrs. J. F. Newman made an efficient accompanist. There was a large attendance and a neat sum was raised.

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Pre-Nuptial Shower

Yesterday evening at the home of Mrs. E. LeCoque, Grace Street, a number of friends assembled on the occasion of a shower in honor of Mrs. Rose Welch, whose marriage takes place early next month. The rooms were tastefully decorated in rose and white, with chrysanthemums and dahlias. The Misses Bessie and Jennie Wallace brought in a festooned basket bearing the gifts which in number and beauty and suitability evidenced the good taste of the donors and the affectionate esteem in which the bride-elect is held. Refreshments were served and all present thoroughly enjoyed the function.

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Entertain Choir

The members of St. Paul's Choir were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Dunsmore, at their home on Wednesday evening. The choisters were each dressed to represent a song and a competition was held to see who could guess the most characters, the idea being quite novel and was very interesting, the competition being keen. Mr. and Mrs. T. Carnelly won the whist drive. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Dunsmore, assisted by Mrs. M. Sharp and Mrs. Bennett.

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Conservative Whist Drive

Mrs. Little won first prize for ladies at the Liberal-Conservative whist drive last evening, with Mrs. Hayes second, and Mrs. S. Tippet third. Mr. A. Park carried away first honors for gentlemen, with Mr. R. Dobinson second, and Mr. S. Davis third.

SIDNEY

Sympathy Expressed

Mrs. Wylie is receiving the sympathy of her friends, owing to the recent accidental shooting in Winnipeg of her brother, Private Norman Leske, of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, by Private J. Young, while cleaning his revolver, and also because Mr. Wylie is seriously ill at home with pneumonia.

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Listens In

Mr. Elmer John, of Meadlands, has installed an Atwater radio set in his home and is obtaining good results listening in.

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Fort Port Angeles

Mrs. T. Munro and family, of Bazan Bay, left on Wednesday morning to join Mr. Munro in Port Angeles, where he is employed.

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For Port Townsend

Mr. and Mrs. W. Veitch are leaving Sidney for Port Townsend, where they will make their home.

CUMBERLAND

Miscellaneous Shower

On Tuesday evening last, Mrs. Chas. Whyte was hostess at a very delightful miscellaneous shower in honor of Miss Hannah Abbott, Cumberland agent of the B. C. Telephone Co., whose marriage takes place next month. A very pleasant evening was spent in games and music. A bean contest was also held, in which Mrs. Bond took first prize. The main feature of the evening was the decorated wagon, which had been fixed with colored paper to represent a huge pumpkin, an wheeled into the room by Doreen Bickerton. In the pumpkin were the many handsome gifts for the bride-to-be, who in a short speech thanked Mrs. Whyte and girl friends. Among those present were the Misses H. Abbott, M. Piercey, N. Robertson, L. Robertson, D. Hutchinson, J. Stevenson, E. Bennie, I. Bateman, D. Freloni, J. Boffy, I. Treen, H. Lockhart, A. Brown, L. Sheppard, H. King, J. Bolagno, Mesdames J. Damonte, C. Hitchens, J. Robertson, and J. Beveridge, jr.

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Cabaret Dance

The cabaret dance held at the Ilo-Ilo on Wednesday evening was a huge success, some 200 being present. The hall had been prettily decorated for the occasion. Autumn leaves and Japanese lanterns were arranged round the large dance hall in artistic manner, with numerous small tables scattered round the hall, giving the place a typical cabaret appearance. Plump's orchestra was in attendance, and this famous aggregation of local players were never heard to better advantage. Dancing was indulged in until 2 a.m.

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Ladies Hold Meeting

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Holy Trinity Anglican Church met at the home of Mrs. Walton for their first meeting this season, fourteen members being present. Mrs. G. Richardson, who recently returned from England, was in the chair. Plans for the annual Hallowe'en party were formulated, which will take the form of a whist drive and dance this year, and will be held in the Anglican Hall on Hallowe'en, October 31.

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Will Sell Poppies

Mr. A. H. Webb, principal of the Cumberland Public School, has consented to allow the children of the school to canvas the town on Saturday, November 3, for the sale of poppies, proceeds of which will be devoted to the disabled veterans' fund.

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Returns to Cumberland

Mr. A. Mortimer returned on Tuesday last, after attending the funeral of his wife in Calgary. Mrs. Mortimer took sick in the Prairie city whilst on the way to the Coast to join her husband.

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Take Up Residence

Mr. and Mrs. W. Fielding have taken up their residence in Cumberland. Mr. Fielding has until recently been employed at Mottishaw's mill.

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From Royal City

Mr. Tom Kennedy, of New Westminster, is a visitor in town and is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. T. Mordy.

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In Victoria

Mr. T. H. Mumford is spending a vacation in Victoria and district, visiting relatives and friends.

SALT SPRING ISLAND

Visits Mother

Mrs. W. T. Burkitt, of Salt Spring, and child are spending a month in Victoria, the guests of her mother, Mrs. Cheetam, and will later visit Miss Bolster, of Cowichan, for a few days.

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Col. Peck Visits

Col. C. Peck, V.C., D.S.O., of Saanich, is visiting the island for a few days. He arrived at Ganges on Wednesday, and is the guest of Mr. H. W. Bullock.

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From Mayne Island

Miss Val Maude and Miss Bell-Irving arrived from Mayne Island on Tuesday, and are guests for a day or two of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Crofton, at Ganges.

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Visits Brothers

Miss Hilda Cartwright, of Sunset View, Ganges, is the guest for a week of her brothers, Messrs. A. and B. Cartwright, at their farm, "The Willows."

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Returns Home

Mr. Charles Burkitt, of Westholm, returned home on Wednesday, after a short visit to the Island, where he was the guest of his brother.

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Visits Brother

Mrs. Roy Machin, of Vancouver, is spending a week or two with her brother, Mr. W. T. Burkitt, of Salt Spring.

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Returns to Vancouver

Mrs. Walton Pierce, of Vancouver, returned home on Wednesday after a few days' visit to the Island, the guest of her brother, Mr. W. T. Burkitt.

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For Victoria

Major Godfrey, of Victoria, left on Thursday after a few days' visit to the Island, a guest at Harbor House.

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When Winter Comes

Miss Ingham is the guest for the Winter of Mr. and Mrs. V. Case Morris, of Salt Spring.

SAANICH

For Swift Current

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Wallace have left for Swift Current, Sask., where they will visit at the home of Mrs. Saunders, sister of Mrs. Wallace.

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Will Entertain Girls

Miss Lillian Styan, of Keating, will entertain the members of the Girls' Institute Club on Thursday afternoon, November 1st.

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Returns Home

Mrs. Colin Chisholm has returned to her home at Saanichton after several weeks' visit with her daughter, Mrs. E. J. McFeeley, of Vancouver.

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Women's Card Party

Members of the South Saanich Women's Institute will entertain at a card party on Saturday evening at the Temperance Hall, Keating.

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From Toronto

Mr. Jarvis, of Toronto, is spending a holiday with his sister, Mrs. W. Watt, at her home at Brentwood.

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Visits Sister

Mrs. Watson, of Victoria, is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. R. W. Sluggett.

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Victoria Visitor

Mrs. A. Petch, of Victoria, spent Wednesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Petch, Sluggetts.

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Attends Conference

Mr. T. F. Gold and Mr. Amey, of Keating, attended the conference of the Farmers' Institutes on Friday.

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Ward Two Cards

Mr. and Mrs. H. Lawrie attended the Liberal-Conservative card party at Victoria on Thursday evening.

DUNCAN

Song Recital

Mr. Victor Edmunds, celebrated Canadian tenor, assisted by Miss Beatrice McDonald (soprano) and Mrs. Clifford Warn, as pianist, all of Victoria, gave an exceptionally enjoyable song recital here in the Opera House last evening. The audience appeared enthusiastic, and practically every item evoked an encore, which was generously given. Mr. George Dyke, of Victoria, acted as concert director. Many expressions of appreciation were heard of the concert given in the afternoon by these artists at the Duncan Consolidated Public School, in aid of the public school sports and library fund.

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Return From England

Mrs. C. S. Crane and Master Davis Crane are expected back in Duncan tomorrow after an absence of six months in England. Mr. Crane went down to Victoria to meet them.

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Visits Duncan

Mr. Thomas O'Connell, of Nanaimo, is in Duncan this week in connection with business of the Indian Department.

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Mayor Recovering

The many friends of Mayor O. T. Smythe will be pleased indeed to learn that he is now recovering from his recent severe illness.

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For Los Angeles

Mr. Pat Forrest has left for Los Angeles, Calif.

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In Victoria

Mrs. C. H. Dickie is a visitor in Victoria.

Leads in Girls' Work

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Who has been appointed Girls' Work secretary for the Canadian Methodist Church. She was one of the creators of the Canadian Girls in Training movement. She is also a member of the family which founded the Allison University at Sackville, Nova Scotia.

COMMUNITY DANCE

Fifth Regiment to Provide Excellent Programme This Evening in Connection With Series

At the community dance this evening to be held under the auspices of the Fifth Regiment, C. G. A., a number of attractive musical novelties will be introduced by the Fifth Regiment orchestra under the direction of Bandmaster Rumeby. Among the selections will be "Are You Lonely?" "Wow," Down the Lane," "River Shannon Moon," "Where Clouds Have Vanished" and "Drifting Back to Dreamland."

The community dance and concert is held each Saturday evening in the Armories. The committee in charge has the reputation of taking great pains to arrange a first-class programme each week-end, and this evening's will be no exception to the rule except that it may be expected to excel those given so far this season.

HALLOWE'EN AFFAIR HELD AT YACHT CLUB

Dance Proves Big Success—Appropriate Decorations Give Effective Background for Dancers

Although many a happy affair has been staged at the Royal Victoria Yacht Club, the Hallowe'en dance held last night seems to have reached the zenith of success.

The scheme of decoration proved a weird and effective background to the brilliance of the evening gowns of the ladies flitting hither and thither in the arms of their black-coated partners. The novelty of the evening was the innovation of cozy corners on the veranda.

The music, as usual, was excellent, being in the "capable fingers" of Professor Heaton.

Supper was served "aloft," and the rafters echoed with laughter and yachting causerie. The final valse was played at 1 o'clock, when Mr. Heaton branched off into "God Save Meldrum, Mr. R. M. Stewart, Miss the King," and the merry crowd took their departure.

Much credit is due to the secretary, Mr. C. Adams, who has been untiring in his efforts to make the evening a success.

Those present included:

Commodore and Mrs. H. T. Barnes, Mr. and Mrs. Rae, Mr. and Miss Hodgins, the Misses K. and D. Payne, Mr. Jack Knapton, Mr. T. M. Powers Potts, Mr. and Mrs. F. Asser, Miss N. Coatson, Mr. E. H. Fisher, Mr. B. Lemon, Mrs. Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. Meldrum, Mr. R. M. Stewart, Miss Polkly, Mr. B. Higgs, Miss M. Birch, Mr. R. H. Turner, Dr. Harper, Mrs. Aldous, Mr. G. Wallace, Mr. and Mrs. Hepburn, Miss Mary Campbell, Mr. K. F. Adams, Mr. J. Hutchinson, Mr. R. Edgell, Miss Beryl McCulloch, Mr. W. Pemberton, Miss Leeming, Mr. G. V. Cole, Dr. Hayes Gilmer, and many others.

HIGH SCHOOL IS SCENE OF DANCE

A Hallowe'en dance was held at the Victoria High School last evening, and was attended by about five hundred people. The affair took place in the big gymnasium, which was beautifully decorated with flags and bunting for the occasion. The music for the dancing, which commenced at eight o'clock, and contiued until eleven, was provided by Ray Kinloch's orchestra. The patrons were Mr. and Mrs. George H. Deane, Captain and Mrs. Boyd, Mr. and Mrs. J. Adam, and Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Scurrah.

CHURCH OF REVELATIONS

A very successful social evening was held by the Church of Revelations, Surrey Block, on Wednesday evening under the capable direction of Mrs. M. L. Smith. The following took part in the musical programme: Songs, Mrs. F. Hall, Mrs. Pownall and Miss Elder; instrumental, piano and violin, Misses Bland, and piano and mandolin, Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Hale; piano, Mrs. Pownall, Miss Elder and Mrs. Smith; recitation, Mrs. B. Langley. The Thanksgiving cake was won by Mrs. Ward, which she kindly donated to the church, which was drawn for and Mrs. Elder was the winner. Games were played, after which refreshments were served. The committee thanks all those who so generously helped to make the evening one long to be remembered as a social success.

As early as 625 Pope Boniface the Fourth sent a silver mirror to the Queen of Northumbria.

STUDENTS LEARNING OF MANUFACTURE

Homes of Victoria to Learn Through School Children About Local Industrial Plants and Products

Students in the Victoria schools hereafter are not to be permitted the inexcusable ignorance of not knowing what manufactures are produced in their home town.

Yesterday groups of boys and girls from several of the schools were taken through some of the industrial plants of the city. The Victoria Bed and Mattress Company, the Sidney Roofing Company, the Western Abrasive Paper Company, Shelly's Bakery, and the British-American Paint Company provided interesting studies for the observant children who formed the parties from North Ward, George Jay, Victoria West and South Park schools.

These periodical tours will be part of the regular school curriculum, principals of the schools take personal charge of the visiting parties, although on arrival at the factories the duties of cicerone will be entrusted to the expert assigned by the firm for the purpose. The fullest possible information will be given about the plant, the product, the number of employees, etc., and pupils will be expected to take notes so that they can write essays on the subject in due course.

The New Method Laundry will be visited by the High School students next Friday.

Detailed information about the purpose of this study by the school-children of the manufactures of the city are contained in a circular issued to the school principals by Mr. George Dean, municipal inspector of schools.

EMPIRE EXHIBITION WORK PROGRESSES

"City of Concrete" Now Taking Definite Shape—Road and Railway Construction

What The London Times has described as a magnificent city of concrete is now beginning to take definite shape, and all anxiety with regard to the completion of the work within the specified time has been removed. The great palaces of Engineering and of Industry are approaching completion, and the railway lines, which are to convey the heavy goods to their allotted places, are rapidly being laid.

It is now practically certain that almost every part of the Empire will be represented. The total expenditure contemplated by the Dominions, Colonies and Protectorates on buildings is approximately $5,000,000.

The laying of kiosk sites is proceeding, and it is hoped that all the main avenues and lake side sites will shortly have been let. The letting of space in other parts of the grounds is also moving satisfactorily.

Transport Facilities

There has been great activity in connection with railway facilities on the Exhibition Grounds. A spur line from the London and North Eastern Railway Company's extension, which serves the Palaces of Engineering and of Industry, is being constructed for the purpose of serving the Australian, Canadian and New Zealand Pavilions in similar fashion, namely, for the placing of their exhibits.

Hard core roads are being constructed throughout the grounds so that practically every building can be fed by heavy traffic.

Extra land is being taken for the purpose of motor-car parks. Several new schemes for widening roads in the neighborhood are being considered by the Ministry of Transport, and the Wembley Urban District Council is improving several of the approaches of the Exhibition. A special sub-way is being constructed, giving access to the Exhibition from Wembley Park Station, and improvements are being carried out at all the stations serving the Exhibition, with a view to facilitating the handling of traffic.

Special services are also being arranged by the railway companies generally. The board has approved an agreement with Thomas Cook & Son, appointing them chief official passenger agents of the Exhibition.

Indian Pavilion

Good progress is being made in the construction of the Indian Pavilion, which will occupy four and a half acres of ground, the building itself covering three acres. An arched and crested facade will admit by a gateway forty feet high to an open colonnade surrounding a sunken courtyard 150 feet square. Steps from this court will lead by a still finer gateway to the main Exhibition Building. This gateway will be surmounted by a graceful dome of imposing dimensions, and the interior facade, of which it will form the centre will be flanked by minarets 110 feet high.

The building, which will be in fibrous plaster on a steel framework, will reproduce the artistic beauties of the famous Taj Mahal at Agra, and the Jaza Masjid at Delhi. It will be 140 yards in length and about 130 in its greatest depth.

The peculiar arts and crafts for which India has a world-wide reputation will be there in profusion, and the display of her metal work, carpets, curtains and carvings in wood and ivory should not be missed.

The grounds surrounding the pavilion will be tastefully laid out, and jaded visitors will be able to refresh themselves with tea, "made as it should be made," under the shade of the trees which stand on the north side of the grounds, or to lunch off Indian curries and pallaos, which will be made the special feature of the restaurant.

Indian Population

The Indian population of the United States, according to the latest tabulation of the Bureau of Indian Affairs, is 344,303, an increase during the last year of 1,144. Oklahoma continues to lead among the states, with a total of 119,280, Arizona being second with 43,015. Delaware reported two Indian inhabitants and West Virginia seven.

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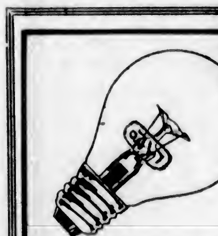

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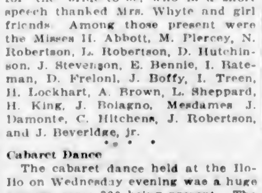

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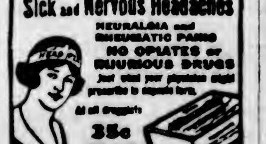

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COMING EVENTS

Camosun Chapter—There will be a special meeting of Camosun Chapter, I. O. D. E., this afternoon at headquarters at 2:30 o'clock.

King's Daughters — The monthly business meeting of the King's Daughters will be on Monday afternoon at 2:30.

Hallowe'en Social— The choir of St. Saviour's Church, Victoria West, is holding a Hallowe'en social in the schoolroom on Saturday, November 3, at 8 o'clock. Tea will be served.

Daughters of St. George Dance—Victoria Lodge, No. 83, Daughters of St. George, is giving a dance and refreshments in Harmony Hall on Monday at 8:30 p.m.

King's Daughters Meet—The Ministering Circle of King's Daughters will hold its regular monthly meeting on Friday, November 2, in the rest rooms at 3 p.m. All members are urged to attend.

Annual Sale of Work—St. John's Ladies' Guild has been at work since last November, preparing for the annual sale of work, which will be held in St. John's Sunday School room, Mason Street, on Wednesday, November 14, afternoon and evening, when it is hoped that all members and friends of St. John's will attend and assist in every way. The ladies are hoping for good results from their labor in order that the organ debt may be wiped out.

Mark Reformation — Reformation services, commemorating the beginning of Protestantism, October 31, 1517, will be held at Grace English Lutheran Church, Blanshard Street and Queen's Avenue, tomorrow. The third anniversary of the reorganization of Grace Congregation will also be emphasized. Rev. A. Engesch, pastor of the Church of the Redeemer, Vancouver, B.C., will preach at the morning service. At the evening service Rev. Engesch will give an address and Rev. P. E. Baisler will deliver the historical address.

Tuberculous Veterans' Ball—The second annual ball of the Tuberculous eterans' Association will be held on Tuesday, November 20, at the Alexandra Club, under the auspices of the Women's Institute, the auxiliary to the T.V.A. Plans are being laid to make this the event of the season. Dancing will continue from 9 until 2, Heaton's orchestra rendering the latest numbers. A limited number of tickets are available, and can be purchased at Music Department, David Spencer, Ltd., or from any of the committee, or by phoning the chairman, 65171t.

St. Paul's Church — Anniversary services will be held in St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, Henry Street, Victoria West, tomorrow and Monday. On Sunday at 11 a.m. the Rev. Dr. Wilson, the minister of First Presbyterian Church, will preach and Mr. E. R. Lock, baritone, will sing, accompanied by Mrs. Deaville. In the evening at 7:30 Mrs. Robert Baird, the popular contralto and gold medalist, will sing, accompanied by Professor Flitcroft, F. R. C. O., and the minister, Rev. J. Smith Patterson, will preach. On Monday evening a social will be held at 8 o'clock in the church, when there will be addresses from Rev. Dr. Clay, Rev. Dr. Campbell and Mrs. Fullerton, interspersed with musical items, after which lunch will be served.

France will not have to import wheat in any quantity this year and the price of bread has been reduced in France.

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Cynthia Brent, country girl, living in a New York apartment she has inherited from an old lady she once befriended.

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Quentin Gray, an artist friend of Ruby's.

Aunt Ellen, who keeps house for Cynthia.

Murray Stewart, for whom Cynthia is working as a stenographer.

Mrs. Wakeland, friend and rich client of Stewart, who takes a fancy to Cynthia.

Violet Jerrold, friend of Murray's.

LXII—An Interruption

AS Ruby read the paper her brows were knitted thoughtfully.

"Thwarted Women." It was a queer title, and a depressing sort of article. Its writer maintained that the world was crowded with superfluous and unwanted females, each clamoring for the husband that she couldn't find!

MAY CHRISTIE

"Impertinence!" snorted the annoyed Ruby, flinging the paper to the floor. "And written by a man, of course! Conceited thing!" But was it true?

Of course it wasn't.

There were thousands of women in the world who didn't want "a mate." Why should they, pray?

And marriage didn't seem much of a prize these days, judging by her own friends' misadventures. Such rows about the weekly bills . . . such borings evenings, . . . such lack of gaiety, beyond the morning whirl around the grocer's and butcher's.

"And men think that's what we're born to!" snorted Ruby, giving the offending paper a kick that sent it flying half across the room. "Great heavens! I may be fed-up and alone, but at least I'm not tied by the leg to a little house in the suburbs and a harrow-minded man who kicks over every quarter and the laundry bills. 'Thwarted women,' indeed! Ye gods and little fishes!"

A sharp ting-ting came to the front doorbell, and Ruby rose to answer it. An indignant flush was still upon her cheeks, so that she looked unusually handsome—at least, so the man upon the doorstep thought.

"Good evening, Lady Fair!" And Quentin Gray, extremely smart in a lightweight evening overcoat and an opera hat set at the latest tilt upon his sleek head, bowed low before her with exaggerated deference.

But Ruby's mood was none too gracious yet.

"Well, what do you want? You can't come in." Her words were rapped out like a pistol shot.

"And why not, pray? 'Smatter of fact, I've come, armed with an invitation, for you and little Miss Cynthia—"

Little Miss Cynthia! That was fuel to the fire, indeed! So he was on the track of Cynthia now, was he? The vacillating, unstable, temperamental charmer that he was!

"Miss Brent has gone to a ball, and won't be home until the milk comes in the morning," snapped Cynthia's friend. Then, sarcastically: "Did you rig yourself up in these clothes just to hypnotize the kid? Because, if so, allow me to tell you that she's booked! She's practically engaged, and the announcement may be made at any time."

This bomb left Quentin unimpressed.

With an airy gesture that was quite well bred, he entered the little hall and closed the door behind her.

"I'm sure Miss Brent wouldn't like the people in the hall to overhear her private concerns," commented he, smiling pleasantly into the angry eyes of his late inamorata, "so let's go into the sitting-room and finish our little chat there. It's only half-past seven, my dear, and no doubt Miss Cynthia's chaperone is somewhere in the offing. So the conventions cannot be transgressed."

"You use such grand words," said Ruby, her anger slipping from her like a mantle, for this man had fascinated her. "You somehow make me feel such an ignorant fool when you talk like that."

She led the way into the little sitting-room and stood on the hearth rug, staring at the newcomer with a curious expression in her eyes.

"Won't you ask me to sit down?" His manner was ingratiating.

"What have you come for?" Ruby stood her ground.

"You aren't very hospitable! May I light a cigarette?"

She nodded ungraciously, and then repeated the question.

He blew a ring of smoke into the air.

"I was at a loose end tonight, having had a dinner engagement that fell through."

"Hm. The lady didn't show up, didn't she?" Ruby seated herself on the extreme edge of the sofa in militant fashion.

"It was a business appointment," said Quentin imperturbably. He thoroughly understood that she was jealous and "disgruntled." "So I met an English chap in Fifth Avenue, and had a bite with him. He's a moving picture director, and looking for new 'types.' So I thought of you, and here I am."

"You thought of me? Why, pray?" But Ruby's voice was more conciliatory.

"Because you're out of a job, my dear, so naturally you're on my mind a bit. And I always did consider that you'd be a gorgeous type on the screen—"

"As the wicked vampire, with red hair and green eyes," commented Ruby tersely. "You can't see me in a Mary Pickford 'role,' can you?"

He took no notice of that sally, and went on:

"Guggenheimer's a nice chap, and a clever one. He's casting parts for his latest picture—'Springtime Folly'—and he can use your type, he says, if you're up to the description that I gave."

Tomorrow—A Chance for Ruby

FOURTEEN HURT IN RAILWAY WRECK

Engine and Seven Cars of C.P.R. Train Jump the Track Near Savanne, Ontario

WINNIPEG, Oct. 26.— Nineteen persons were injured, four seriously, when train No. 4, the Toronto express, of the Canadian Pacific Railway, was derailed seven miles west of Savanne, Ont., at 7:50 a.m. today. The accident was due to a broken rail, according to an official statement issued by the general manager's office at noon.

The engine, two baggage cars and five day coaches left the rails. The train was made up of eighteen cars. Pullman passengers were not injured, all the casualties to travelers being in the day coaches. With one exception the passengers were harvesters returning to their homes in Eastern Canada.

The seriously injured are: J. W. Sherman, Para, Ont.; James Morris, address unknown, internal injuries; Napoleon Lessobl, Lake Megantic, Que., head and face badly cut; and Roy Kelly, Tilsonburg, Ont., right leg broken and left leg cut. The injuries received by the other passengers were of a minor nature, the official statement said.

Two of the derailed coaches were badly damaged. The line, it is stated, will be blocked for several hours.

Engineer Saves Lives

PORT ARTHUR, Ont., Oct. 26.—To the presence of mind of Joseph Denby, engineer of train No. 4, easthound, of the Canadian Pacific Railway, derailed near Savanne, Ont., early today, is due the fact that there was no loss of life and but a few serious casualties, according to E. Norman Smith, vice-president of The Ottawa Journal and president of the Canadian Press, who, with Mrs. Smith, was a passenger on the train. They were returning from a western trip.

When Engineer Denby's attention was attracted to a rattling noise behind his locomotive, he looked back to discover that part of his train was off the track. Realizing that part of his train consisted of wooden coaches and that they would be telescoped by the heavy steel coaches in the rear, the engineer opened the throttle wide, when the coupling between the third and fourth car broke and the locomotive and three cars plunged ahead at a great rate of speed. This quick action on the part of the engineer helped materially to reduce the danger of deaths, Mr. Smith said.

FOURFOLD LIFE

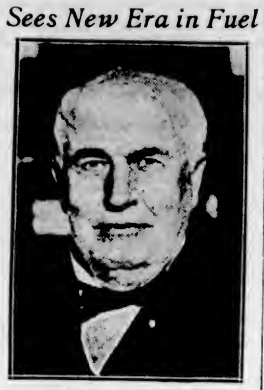
Miss Fountain Spoke Last Evening in the Interests of Canadian Girls' Work

"The Fourfold Life" was the subject of the talk given by Miss Fountain, of Vancouver, at the well-attended meeting held last evening at the First Baptist Church in the interests of the Canadian Girls in Training work. Miss Fountain, who was recently appointed British Columbia secretary for the Girls' Work Board, has been in the city all week in connection with the movement, and is addressing many groups of young women while here. The matter is to be presented by her in its more general aspect on Sunday, as she will speak at Wesley Methodist Church in the morning, and at Centennial Methodist Church in the afternoon. Last evening she told the story illustrating the "Girls' Quest in the Fourfold Life."

Mrs. Daniell, president of the Girls' Work Board of Victoria, was in the chair last evening.

Miss Fountain will return to Vancouver on Monday.

Sees New Era in Fuel



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VARIED PROBLEMS FACE LEGISLATORS

LIBERAL CAUCUS MAKES LITTLE PROGRESS

Plenty of Grist for Legislative Mill During Approaching Session—Thirty Issues Enumerated

Confronted by a long list of questions that must be grappled with and definitely settled during the next two months, supporters of the Oliver Government on which the chief onus for initiative in law-making during the approaching session of the Legislature falls, held their first caucus yesterday.

As only a handful of Liberal members reached the city during the day to augment the Cabinet ministers and Island members already in Victoria, the caucus made little real progress, and Dr. K. C. MacDonald, chairman, told The Colonist last night that today, with the majority of the party members in town, better results would be attained. The caucus machinery, representing the inner works of the Government's legislative equipment, is not expected to strike its full momentum, however, until next week.

Among the Government supporters who reached Victoria yesterday and who took part in the caucus meetings were: Dr. MacDonald, North Okanagan, Mr. David Whiteside, New Westminster; Mrs. Mary Ellen Smith, Vancouver; E. C. Henniger, Grand Forks; J. A. Buckham, Columbia; F. W. Anderson, Kamloops; Kenneth Campbell, Nelson, and John Yorston, Cariboo.

The influx of delegates representing a variety of interests anxious to be heard before the Government decides on its legislative programme has already commenced.

The session promises to be a busy one, with a multiplicity of subjects to be dealt with. Here are some of the outstanding questions almost certain to be discussed by the House during the approaching session:

1. Revision and consolidation of the statutes.
2. Redistribution of constituencies.
3. Pacific Great Eastern Railway policy, including the proposal to continue construction from present end of steel north of Quesnel to Prince George.
4. Eight-hour day.
5. Payment of three years' statutory increases in civil service salaries.
6. Five-year close season for fur-bearing animals, and amendments to the Game Act with a view of increasing efficiency in administration and enforcement.
7. Reduction of the amusement tax.
8. Abolition of the personal property tax.
9. Measures to encourage immigration and colonization.
10. Legislation necessary to the continuance of the Government's reclamation policy in the Sumas and other districts.
11. Completion of the trans-Provincial Highway either by the Fraser Canyon or Hope-Princeton route.
12. Imposition of a gasoline tax and other new levies.
13. Reduction in motor licence fees.
14. Amendments to the liquor control legislation with a view to improving conditions under which beer is distributed.
15. Measures to reduce the tax burden of municipalities.
16. Readjustment of methods for financing hospitals by giving them access to revenue more dependable than liquor profits.
17. Conservation of timber.
18. Restrictions on the employment of Orientals in basic industries.
19. Amendments to land settlement legislation.
20. Revision of timber royalties.
21. Drastic amendments to legislation governing the honey industry.
22. Initiation of a new roads policy for the benefit of settlers in the more isolated sections of the Province.
23. Establishment of a Provincial bank.
24. Plans for advertising the Province with a view to increasing tourist traffic and new settlement.
25. Reopening of the city of Vancouver's charter.
26. Reduction in mining taxes.
27. Reopening of the chiropractors' fight for recognition.
28. Continuance of the campaign for equalization of freight rates.
29. Investigation of Liquor Board accounts.
30. Amendments to British Columbia life insurance legislation to conform with similar legislation being standardized throughout the Dominion.

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THE FIRST FOOT

First-footing is a Scottish custom still existing. Late in the evening of Hogmanay, December 31, in each year, thousands of the common people assemble in the vicinity of a clock to ascertain on good evidence when the new year commences. When the clock is about to strike 12 they cheer so loudly that the strokes are not heard. Instantly it has finished, they depart for the purpose of first-footing—that is, each one tries to be the first person that year to cross the threshold of his friend's house and wish him the compliments of the season. It is considered bad luck to go into a house empty handed, and good luck is supposed to attend the resident whose "first foot" is dark complexioned.

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THE SPORTING WORLD

Five Soccer Games Take Place Today

Feature Battle of Afternoon Will Be Veterans-Greenshirts' Conflict at Royal Athletic Park—Fight Will Be for League Leadership—Two Other Senior and Two Junior Matches to Be Played

HOW THEY NOW STAND

Senior Division

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
Victoria Wests	3	3	0	0	6
Veterans	3	2	0	1	5
Sons of England	3	1	1	1	3
Esquimalt	3	1	2	0	2
Moose	2	1	1	0	2
Navy	4	0	4	0	0
North Wards	1	0	1	0	0

Junior Division

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
Saanich Thistles	1	1	0	0	2
High School	1	1	0	0	2
Oaklands	2	0	2	0	0
Victoria Wests	0	0	0	0	0

THE third round for the soccer championship of the city for the season will take place today, when fans will be able to choose from three football matches during the afternoon. The leading elevens in the senior league, the Victoria Wests and Veterans, will clash at Royal Athletic Park, while the Sons of England and Esquimalt will settle superiority at Beacon Hill, and the Moose and North Wards will try conclusions at the Victoria West Park. Navy secured a bye this week-end. Two junior soccer encounters should complete a good day of football sport.

One of the biggest crowds of the year will likely witness the match at the Royal Athletic Park between the Greenshirts and the Vets players. The Wests are occupying the premier berth in the loop right now, although if they are defeated this afternoon by the soldier boys, the latter will be sitting pretty at first place. But the Wests claim that the fans need not expect any change in the personnel of the aggregation that will be leading the circuit after today's matches have been played.

Both the Veterans and Wests expect to be able to put out their strongest line-ups to face one another today, and the contest is anticipated to be one of the stiffest tussles of the year. With the league leadership at stake, and the results of the match very greatly effecting the ambitions of both teams, the Wests and Veterans can be depended upon to fight their very hardest.

Sons Oppose Esquimalt

Supporters of the Esquimalt and Sons of England teams will man the sidelines at Beacon Hill Park to cheer their respective favorites on to victory. The Englishmen have won one game, and drawn one since the league opened two weeks ago. The Esquimalt aggregation has not lost a game since they were elevated from the second to first division, and they evidently are not counting on anything else right now than continuing to climb the league ladder. The Sons of England, however, have fortified themselves with a strong eleven for today's match, and hope to make the going hot for their foes.

And at the Victoria West Park the Moose and North Wards will have a merry time. The lodgemen made a fine start in the league calendar, defeating the Esquimalt boys a few weeks ago by the score of four goals to two. The Moose have strengthened their eleven, and hope to hand the Wards a defeat today. The North Wards celebrated their return to the local soccer league last week-end by losing to the Greenshirts, but they plan making up for that defeat by winning at the expense of the Moose this afternoon. It should be an interesting fight.

The Victoria Wests will make their first appearance in the junior division today, when their junior squad will play against Oaklands at the Upper Beacon Hill grounds. The other junior contest will be fought between the High School and Saanich Thistles at Central Park. The latter two clubs are on even terms for first place, each of them having won one game against Oaklands.

Today's games follow:

Senior Division

Sons of England vs. Esquimalt, at Beacon Hill; referee, Alcott.

Victoria Wests vs. Veterans, at Royal Athletic Park; referee, Oakwell.

Moose vs. North Wards, at Victoria West Park; referee, Locke.

Navy—A bye.

Junior Division

Victoria Wests vs. Oaklands, at Beacon Hill Upper; referee, Payne.

High School vs. Saanich Thistles, at Central Park; referee, Robbins.

The teams will be as follows:

Wests — Shandley; Sherratt and Baker; Wale, Thomas and Popham; Sherratt, Mulcahy, Peden, Muir and Waddington.

Moose—Holman; Merrix and Stillman, Bray, Essler and F. Moulton; C. Hay, Cumming, H. Moulton, A. Hole and Allan. Reserves, G. Hole, Erickson and McCabe. Players to meet at Metz clubrooms at 2:15 o'clock.

North Wards—McGregor; Taylor and Bell; Campbell, Kroeger and McKinnon; Motion, McInnes, Totty, Howden and Tooby.

Veterans—Leeming; Ord and Burton, Roe, Owens (captain), and Brynjolfson; Hood, Merfield, Roberts, Clarkson, Jas. Cummings, Shillingford. Players to meet at Veterans of France at 2:40 o'clock.

S.O.E. — Hetherington; Church Tuckwell; Creighton, Tupman, Harwood; J. Smith, Kier, Southern, Swen, Shanks. Reserve, Price. Players will meet at Broad Street Billiard Room (just around the corner from Yates Street, near B. C. Electric ticket office) not later than 2:15 o'clock.

Oaklands—Taylor, Viggers, Essler, Collier, Davis, Kay, Campbell, Armstrong, Knight, Crow, Hogan, Macdonald, Smith. All players are requested to be on hand at 2:30 o'clock at Upper Beacon Hill grounds.

CHANCE LEADS SOX

CHICAGO, Oct. 26. — Frank Chance, manager of the Boston Americans last season, and a former pilot of the Chicago Cubs, tonight was selected to succeed "Kid" Gleason as manager of the Chicago White Sox.

GOLF COMPETITION ON DUNCAN COURSE

Mr. Robinson and Mrs. Johnson Win Mixed Foursome—Lawn Tennis Club Renovates Grounds

DUNCAN, Oct. 26.—Mr. J. S. Robinson and Mrs. A. C. Johnson handed in the best score for the mixed foursome played over the links of the Cowichan Golf Club yesterday, with a net of 79. Mr. S. Wright and Mrs. Harper came a close second with 79½; and Mr. H. W. Dickie and Mrs. Easton came third with a net 81.

The following took part in the competition, with their respective net scores: J. S. Robinson and Mrs. A. C. Johnson, 79; S. Wright and Mrs. Harper, 79½; H. W. Dickie and Mrs. Easton, 81; W. A. Willett and Mrs. W. E. Corfield, 83; E. W. Carr-Hilton and Mrs. E. A. Price, 83; K. F. Duncan and Miss Clark, 83; A. Peterson and Mrs. H. W. Dickie, 85; C. W. O'Neil and Miss Robertson, 85; W. L. B. Young and Miss Benvie, 85; John Fox and Miss M. Palmer, 85; C. D. Dickie and Mrs. F. H. Price, 86; J. C. E. Hensiowe and Mrs. Boyd Wallis, 87; H. T. Reid and Mrs. Galt, 88; General Gartside Spaight and Mrs. K. F. Duncan, 90; H. L. Helen and Mrs. Share, 91; G. G. Share and Mrs. Peterson, 92; A. Day and Mrs. Garrard, 95; Dr. Adams and Mrs. White, 95; D. C. Hills and Mrs. Robinson, 98; F. C. Dawson Thomas and Mrs. Hilton, 99; H. F. Prevost and Mrs. W. B. Powel, 100; B. Hope and Mrs. Hicks, 102; W. B. Harper and Miss Whittome, 105; W. B. Powel and Mrs. Watson, 108.

Lawn Tennis Plans

At a special committee meeting of the Duncan Lawn Tennis Club held last evening, arrangements were made for the employment of Mr. Brookbank to go ahead with proposed work on the grounds at once. The proposed work includes considerable resodding and patching up of the bare spots.

It was decided that a further meeting of the committee would be held the first of next week, when arrangements will be made for the annual dance to be held on Thanksgiving Monday, November 12.

There were present at the meeting President C. C. Compton-Lundie, Mr. E. W. Carr-Hilton, Mr. F. R. Gooding, Miss V. Hayward, Miss K. Robertson, with the secretary, Mr. H. W. Fox.

JIMMY MURPHY HAS HIS WORK CUT OUT

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 26.—James Anthony Murphy, of Los Angeles, who still is the automobile champion of the world, but who just at present is tottering on his throne, has returned here from London.

Wearing a black derby hat which he bought in London, "our boy Jim" bounded off the limited this afternoon heading a party of world famous drivers, including Harry Hertz, ex-boy wonder, and Benny Hill.

Jimmy has come home to retain his championship, if he can, in his own backyard.

And to retain his title Jimmy has not only to win the Thanksgiving Day 250-mile classic here, but Lady Luck has to favor him to the extent of seeing that the veteran Eddie Hearne does not finish better than fourth.

NEWSY LALONDE AFTER LOUIS BARLANQUETTE

SASKATOON, Oct. 26.—Negotiations which are expected to be brought to a successful conclusion, are being conducted by Newsy Lalonde for the acquisition of Louis Barlanquette, left-winger of the Canadian Hockey Club, to play with the Saskatoon Crescents this Winter, says a special dispatch to The Saskatoon Star today.

SIKI IN COURT

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—Battling Siki, Senegalese boxer, who when last heard of was enjoying the freedom of Montreal after he had been put off a train, bobbed up in New York again last night. Siki appeared in a Harlem police court, but this time it was as plaintiff instead of defendant. Siki said he was sitting in a Harlem cafe and made a remark to Oswald Deavernie, negro automobile dealer, and declared Deavernie drew a pistol and ordered Siki to throw up his hands. Siki went to the police station, returned with two detectives, and had Deavernie arrested.

BILLY KELLY WILL RETURN TO RACES

NOTED SPRINTER TO SHOW ITS SPEED AT TIJUANA

Commander J. K. L. Ross' Well-Known Horse Scores Impressive Victory on Canadian Track

TIJUANA RACETRACK, Mex., Oct. 26.—Billy Kelly is coming back to the races.

Sprinters of the American turf, who have soared to such dizzy heights of fame as did this gallant son of Dick Welles-Glenna, can really be counted on the fingers of one hand.

After an absence from actual contest for months, Billy Kelly demonstrated just the other day at a Canadian track that the long rest given him by Commander J. K. L. Ross, his owner, was just what he needed, when he scored an impressive victory by winning a sprint race by ten lengths. This was at Toronto, and was intended as a sort of trial for the old campaigner previous to being shipped with the extensive Ross string to Tijuana for the Winter's meeting.

Real outstanding turf stars at the varying distances thoroughbreds are raced, are comparatively few. Billy Kelly is one, and it would not surprise turf critics to see the Ross Sprinter show much of his speed and weight carrying ability at Tijuana this Winter, now that his recent Toronto victory has proclaimed him ready for the races again.

Memorable Harford Handicap

Not since his memorable race in the Harford Handicap at the Havre de Grace track, in 1922, when he bowed in defeat to the great Exterminator, each carrying 132 pounds, did Billy Kelly face the starting gate until the other day at Toronto.

The return of this lovable thoroughbred to racing at Tijuana adds another to the galaxy of turf stars which will assemble at the border course from Thanksgiving Day on, to bid for parts of the $750,000 in purses and $74,500 in added money for stakes which President James Wood Coffroth has set aside.

In the more brilliant years of his racing, and Billy Kelly is not old as useful horses go, for he's seven, he was a demon for carrying crushing imposts and getting over the ground in a hurry. Six furlongs was his distance, and with 130 pounds on his back he ran this dash in 1:11 1-5 in 1921 over the Havre de Grace track. To followers of time, this performance, which made a track record that still stands, stamped Billy Kelly as a champion. The Havre de Grace course probably is the slowest which is still in use.

Sets Mark at Havre de Grace

One must turn to the running of the Harford Handicap at Havre de Grace to really appreciate Billy Kelly. For three years he had this rich stake at his mercy. He first won it in 1919 as a three-year-old, and with Jockey Earl Sande in the boot, he carried 116 pounds. Jockey Sande again rode him to victory in the same event the following year and the famed sprinter shouldered 127 pounds. They kept piling the weight on him, but poundage did not stop his triumphs, and for the third time, this in 1921 and as a five-year-old, Billy Kelly was victorious, and with 130 pounds to carry. It was in his 1921 victory in the Harford that the Ross sprinter set the track mark at Havre de Grace.

Throughout the length and breadth of American turfdom the return of Billy Kelly to the races at Tijuana will be watched with interest. Thoughts that the famed sprinter might have been forced into retirement by unsound feet, legs or old age, would seem to be dispelled through his recent triumph at Toronto.

CONSTRUCT GYMS ON GRIDIRON RECEIPTS

CHICAGO, Oct. 26.—Football not alone is increasing its own popularity as a popular sport, but at the same time is proving a boon to other college sports.

This is borne out by Western conference universities where receipts from football contests are finding their way into new stadiums, athletic fields and gymnasiums.

The University of Wisconsin on Saturday opens the newly completed tier of its stadium, built entirely from football gate receipts. This structure, costing approximately $150,000, will seat 36,000 at the homecoming game.

The University of Michigan is building a $500,000 gymnasium, soon to be completed, from earnings of its football contests, while other schools are applying their surplus to athletic fields and stadiums.

Hold Olympic Games Tryouts On June 14

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—The executive committee of the American Olympic committee today voted to hold the final track and field contest to determine the make-up of the American Olympic team at the Harvard Stadium next June 14.

As in the past, the winners in college and club track meets in the Spring will be the competitors in the stadium.

SOCCER INTEREST KEEN UP ISLAND

CUMBERLAND LEADS LEAGUE BY ONE POINT MARGIN

Six Clubs Will Likely Take Part in the Brackman-Ker Cup Competition

Soccer continues to hold sway as the major sport on upper Vancouver Island, and this season's Upper Island League competition is replete with interest. Of the six clubs in the league, Cumberland, Ladysmith, Nanaimo City, Davenports, G.W.V.A. and Northfield, only one, the last mentioned, has failed to record a victory. Every team has been defeated at least once.

Cumberland leads the league by one point, and right at its heels come Ladysmith and Nanaimo, each with eight points, one less. Cumberland and Nanaimo City have played one game more than Ladysmith.

The league standing to date follows:

	W.	L.	D.	P.
Cumberland	4	1	1	9
Ladysmith	4	1	0	8
Nanaimo City	3	1	2	8
Davenports	1	2	2	4
G.W.V.A.	1	3	1	3
Northfield	0	5	0	0

Good Brand of Football

The class of soccer displayed by the leading clubs this season has been of high standard. Most of the teams have new players in their ranks. The Dominion champions, Nanaimo City, are utilizing Adams, the former Hotel Vancouver forward. Last week-end, at Cumberland, he played centre forward for the first time and got a goal. Last season he scored goals galore in the Vancouver and District League, third division.

At Cumberland there is Tom Blair, the former Kilmarnock and Manchester City goalkeeper. Last season Tom was quartered in the Edmonton district. He is built on ideal lines for the job between the sticks, and his work so far this season has materially helped Cumberland.

Following is the schedule of games:

Nanaimo City vs. Davenports.

Northfield vs. Cumberland.

Ladysmith vs. G.W.V.A.

Toppers Face Lowers

The above schedule is a case of the three leading clubs being opposed to the three bottom clubs and it will be interesting to see if any of the lesser lights upset the dope. All the clubs are enjoying good support and it is expected there will be big crowds at all the games this week-end.

The Upper Island District Association is calling for entries for the Brackman-Ker Cup, emblematic of the Upper Island championship. The winner of this competition qualifies to compete in the Provincial finals against the champions of the Lower Island and of the Mainland. Last season Ladysmith won the Upper Island championship and defeated 'Varsity in Vancouver for the championship of British Columbia. All of the six clubs in the Upper Island League are expected to enter and some hard tussles are promised before a champion club is declared. The draw for the first round will be made in the near future.

Bowlers Anticipate Big Year on Alleys

Six Teams Take Part in Sudden-Death Tournament, Which Starts Next Thursday Night—Local League May Join Northwest Congress — City Series, With Eight Teams, Opens November 19

THE ten-pin kings, of Victoria, are looking forward to what they confidently believe will be the most successful season that they have ever enjoyed. The City Bowling League will get off to a flying start on Tuesday evening next, when a sudden-death tournament will be held, with six local teams competing. The Colonist, Weiler's, last year's champions, Arcades, United Commercial Travellers, Denholme's and the Printers will be the bowling teams that will take part in this competition, and as interest in the matches is keen, the different games will be followed very closely.

At last night's meeting of the City Bowling League, which was held in the Pemberton Building, a schedule for the sudden-death tournament was drawn up, the various matches to be played off as follows:

Thursday, November 1: Arcades vs. United Commercial Travelers.

Friday, November 2: Weiler's vs. Printers.

Monday, November 5: Denholme's vs. Colonist.

Tuesday, November 6: Winners of Friday play winners of Monday.

Wednesday, November 7: Winners of Tuesday play winners of Thursday.

All matches to be played on the Pemberton Bowling Alleys.

The city bowlers are thinking over the advisability of becoming affiliated with the Northwestern International Bowling Congress, while it has been decided that either one or two of the local bowling teams will participate in the Northwest Bowling Tournament, which will be played near the close of the present season in Vancouver.

The A.B.C. bowling rules will be utilized by the City Bowling League in all its matches this Winter.

Monday, November 19, is the date on which the city series will commence. On account of the local alleys being now in use, the bowlers decided at their recent meeting to hold this sudden-death tournament while they were awaiting the start of the city league's schedule.

Eight teams, it is anticipated, will be competing for the city bowling laurels this year. The Printers, Elks, Moose, Weiler's, Colonist, Arcades, Stocker's and the United Commercial Travelers are all likely to enter teams, while other organizations may also make a bid for positions in the league. The bowlers are enthusiastic over the approaching series, and some good matches are being awaited with eagerness.

The local bowling organization's destinies will be again guided this year by President D'Arcy, while Frank Youngs will replace Mr. Wille as secretary. Mr. Shepherd will continue in his duties as the league treasurer.

DEVELOPS STRING OF AMATEUR BOXERS

V.I.A.A. Trains Local Boys in Self-Defence Art—Al Davies to Stage Come-Back

A strenuous effort is being made by the Vancouver Island Athletic Association to develop a string of amateur boxers in the city who would be able to take part in the proposed intercity boxing contests, which the club is anxious to stage, and which proved so popular with the sport loving public of this city in pre-war days. During the last few years this branch of sport has not been followed seriously by the athletes of the city, with the result that there are only a small number of good boxers in the city, consequently it has been impossible to stage any good amateur shows of the same calibre of the old-time contests.

Arrangements have been made by the V.I.A.A. whereby anybody interested in this sport can for a nominal sum obtain expert instruction every Tuesday and Wednesday evening at the club's gymnasium, Victoria West. Quite a considerable amount of equipment, including punching men, chest weights, punching dummies and medicine balls have been installed in a specially prepared room which has been set aside for boxing.

At the present time there are eighteen boys who have enrolled, averaging in weight from 60 lbs. upwards, and some of the boys are proving to be apt pupils. Providing a few more can be procured, the club will be in a position to stage a series of novice tournaments this Winter and eventually take part in the meets which are being staged in Seattle, Portland and Spokane.

Invitations have already been received from Multnomah Athletic Club, Portland, and Spokane Athletic Club, requesting that the V.I.A.A. send a boxer to take part in their shows. Al. Davies, the well-known local boxer, intends making a comeback this Winter, and will be on hand weekly to box with the new beginners.

Any person who is interested in the above is requested to get in touch with Superintendent W. H. Davies at 641 Fort Street.

WORLD'S CHAMP PURCHASES HOTEL

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 26.—With the purchase of a $650,000 hotel apartment house in West Sixth Street, Jack Dempsey, heavyweight champion, and his manager, Jack Kearns, have entered the hotel-owners' field. The new acquisition brings the champion's real estate holdings in Los Angeles to considerably over a million dollars, it was learned. It was also understood from an authoritative source that Dempsey is considering the purchase of another hotel.

Dempsey recently announced that his palatial Western Avenue home here was for sale at $400,000, which is said to be a bargain price.

Neither Kearns nor Dempsey are thinking of a fight for the champion at present, they both declaring that the next best battle in sight is one with Firpo in New York next July Fourth.

A chemist of Columbus, Ohio, invented a germicide for washing bills handled by clerks in banks.

Bays and Oak Bays Will Perform Today

Last Year's Rugby Champions Will Stack Up Against Wanderers at Willows Grounds—Both Teams Confident of Success in Important Conflict — Two Intermediate Matches Also on Card

WHERE THEY ARE.

Senior Division

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
Oak Bay Wanderers	1	1	0	0	2
Garrison	1	0	1	0	0
J. B. A. A.	0	0	0	0	0
Navy	0	0	0	0	0

Intermediate Division

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
Oak Bay Wanderers	1	1	0	0	2
Brentwood College	1	1	0	0	2
J. B. A. A.	1	0	1	0	0
Normal School	1	0	1	0	0

CHIEF interest among ruggers of the city will lie at the Willows grounds this afternoon, when the representatives of the James Bay Athletic Association, winners of the City Senior Rugby championship for the past three seasons, will make their initial appearance of the year against the Oak Bay Wanderers, who successfully started the Winter sport last Saturday by trouncing the Garrison fifteen. The contest today will commence at 3 p.m., and a large and enthusiastic crowd is expected to view the encounter. The two other games on the sport card are intermediate matches, the J.B.A.A. and Oak Bay Wanderers coming together at Oak Bay, while the Normal School players will travel out to perform against the Brentwood College boys on the latter's grounds.

The contest at the Willows today should prove a regular scrap from start to finish. The men led by Boss Johnson are anxious to bag a victory at their opponents' expense and they plan doing everything humanly possible in an endeavor to walk off with the first match in which they have taken part. It is recognized that the Bays have a strong team, and the Wanderers from Oak Bay will likely have to extend themselves if they are cherishing hopes of victory.

Wanderers Look Good

The Wanderers gave a good account of themselves when they succeeded in handing the Tommies a trimming last Saturday afternoon. The Bays have some of the players that helped them grab the premier honors last season, while the Oak Bay Wanderers have on their roster a number of youngsters, who have speed, energy and other qualities essential to them in leading their comrades to victory.

The J.B.A.A. team will be without the services of two of their veterans this afternoon. Angie McInnes will not be at his accustomed place in the three-quarter line, while "Cotton" Brynjolfson will not be seen on the forward line. Bob Travis has sent out word for all the Bays to bring out a blue sweater with them to the Willows today.

Confidence reigns in the camp of the Oak Bay Wanderers, and this team, which now stands in first place in the league, believes that they will be able to get the Bays' number. The Wanderers realize that the going will not be easy, but at the same time they feel that they have an aggregation that is as capable of capturing the honors as have the J.B.A. organization. The match should prove a warm one and patrons will undoubtedly be well rewarded for watching the play.

The Bays will take the field as follows: Boss Johnson, full back; threes, Totty, C. Hay, C. Steele, B. Muncy; fives-eighths, V. Bendrodt; halves, McLean and McMillan; forwards, Davis, McKay, Miller, Johnson, Gravelin, Travis.

The Oak Bay Wanderers team will be chosen from the following: Gilmer, Willis, Goodacre, Grubb, Stewart, Ken Adams, Parker, Wenman, Gregg, Harold Colpman, E. Allen, John Shaw, Roland Christy, "Sheik" Money and Eric George.

Intermediates Ready

Not since the season of 1913 has so great enthusiasm been shown in the intermediate rugby as there is this year. Now that the British Columbia University has made application for enfrance, the Garrison feel that they have material for an intermediate team and wish to make a six-team league. It is felt, however, that the soldiers will be a little too heavy for the majority of players in this league, so for this season the Garrison will have to give all their encouragement to the senior team.

There is no doubt that next year three leagues will be in progress, consisting of the seniors, intermediates and juniors. This could have been arranged this year, but it was not known until all matters had been settled and schedules drawn just what material was available.

The intermediate games slated for today are the J.B.A.A. vs. the Oak Bay Wanderers at Oak Bay, and the Normal School vs. Brentwood College at Brentwood. Both games are sure to be interesting as the Bays and the Wanderers are old rivals, and both teams have been looking forward to today's game with great interest, almost glee.

Jeff Captains Bays

Jeff Watson, who captains the Bays, is one of the best backs in the city, and although he is fit for senior company, it is his ambition to stay with the Bays until the Heyland Cup is once more in the possession of his club. He captained this team in 1921 when it won the cup, and also last year when it lost to the Normal School. Eaton and Knapton, who will play for the intermediate Oak Bay Wanderers, having been brought back from the seniors for a little more seasoning, will strengthen their team and will no doubt be up with the seniors after a few games.

Normal School and Brentwood College are very evenly matched and it will be a keen fight for the game. Players are reminded that the Rugby Union has issued a warning that talking on the field is to cease, and that referees have been instructed to penalize players doing so.

The J.B.A.A. intermediate team will be picked from the following: Locke, McCallum, Jones, McIntyre, Wood, O'Neill, Watson, Chungranes, Russell, Hocking, Connerton, Eaket, Givens, Askey and Pollard.

NAVY AND GARRISON PLAY TIE CONTEST

The Scrum of Both Aggregations Works Well—Each Fifteen Scores Three Points in Opening Half

In a rugby match played at the Canteen Grounds between the Garrison and the Naval fifteens last night, neither team proved sufficiently superior to emerge from the struggle definitely in the lead, the final being 3-3.

The scrum of both teams worked well, with little to choose between them, and the players on the whole provided a good game. All of the scoring was done in the first half of the game. And although each team made an occasional get-away in the second stanza, they were never able to get the winning try. For the Garrison, Ward and Armstrong were the stars of their team.

This score differs greatly from that of the last match, and it only goes to show that the Naval men are getting themselves into shape for their initial tilt in the senior league, which is a week or so hence.

In last night's match the Tommies introduced new players into the game, as some of their regular line-up were unable to get to the match. These players made a good impression with the committee, and as time goes it is expected that the Garrison team will become a real strong aggregation.

WALT JOHNSON IS STRIKE-OUT KING

Washington's Famous Twirler in Sixteen Seasons Has Fanned Over Three Thousand Batters

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—Though subjected to heavy bombardment during the 1923 season, pitchers in both major baseball leagues recorded an unusual list of brilliant performances.

Two no-hit games, an array of one-hit and two-hit performances, and new strike-out records were among the features.

"Sad Sam" Jones, of the world champion Yankees, and Howard Ehmke, of the Boston Red Sox, did the most spectacular box work of the season.

Within a single week in September both blanked the Philadelphia Athletics without a hit or a run. Then in their next turns on the mound both came close to duplicating these feats.

Walter Johnson added new laurels to his strike-out record by passing the three thousand mark in his sixteenth year in the big league.

Dazzy Vance, speedball king of Brooklyn, hung up the season's strike-out record when he fanned fifteen of the New York Giants in ten innings.

HORNSBY MIGHT GO TO CHICAGO IS RUMOR

CHICAGO, Oct. 26.—Rogers Hornsby, of the St. Louis Nationals, 1923 batting champion of the National League, will be traded to the Chicago Cubs in a deal involving the transfer of four players to the Cardinals, according to reports in baseball circles tonight.

The report said that Hornsby, who engaged in a fist fight with Branch Rickey, manager of the Cardinals last season, had expressed a desire to play with Chicago. The players reported to be considered in the trade for Hornsby are Charley Hollocher, George Grantham, Lawrence Miller and Virgil Cheeves.

President Veeck, of the Cubs, could not be reached to confirm the report.

RICKEY DENIES STAR HITTER TO BE TRADED

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 26.—Although it was said on reliable authority that Rogers Hornsby, star shortstop of the St. Louis Nationals, would be traded to the Chicago Cubs for Shortstop Hollocher, Second Baseman Grantham, Pitcher Cheeves and Outfielder Miller, the deal was denied this afternoon by Branch Rickey, manager of the Cardinals.

It was reported, however, that the deal would be announced officially tomorrow.

Branch Rickey, Cardinal manager, denied the trade.

"I am not interested in Hack Miller nor Grantham and I would not have Cheeves at the waiver price," Rickey declared.

"Furthermore, Hollocher, according to information I have received, is in a hospital," Rickey added.

PRACTICE GAME TODAY

Meeting of V.I. and Gulf Islands Grass Hockey Bodies in City Tonight —Victoria Club Dance

Today's practice games take place on the Willows ground. In view of numerous matches it is hoped that there will be full sides out, both of the ladies' and men's sections. The restaurant building has been given to the club for changing rooms, teas, etc., and today tea will be served after the games.

Last Wednesday's initial dance proved an immense success and in view of the Armadale Lawn Tennis Club arranging dances alternately with the hockey club, both bodies should benefit and also provide enjoyable meetings for many people.

The lawn tennis club's initial invitation dance will be held on November 7. The tickets are out today, but, failing the receipt of tickets, guests at the recent hockey dance are reminded that they will be welcome. Heaton's orchestra has been engaged for this date at the K. of C. Hall.

Tonight, at 7 o'clock, at Room 23, Brown Building, 1114 Broad Street, there is a meeting of the Vancouver Island and Gulf Islands Grass Hockey Association. It is important that all clubs be represented.

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Wisconsin Pugilist Seeks Another Crack at Leonard—City Has Yet to Produce Lightweight King

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Oct. 26.—The city of Milwaukee, always one of America's foremost boxing centres, may yet realize its long awaited hope of having a world's lightweight champion, one of its native sons. Many great fighters have represented Milwaukee in the popular sport of boxing, among them being Maurice Sayers, Charlie Neary, Ray Temple, Bob Moha, Gus Christie, Kid Graves, Ritchie Mitchell, Pinkey Mitchell, and others, but not one of the entire retinue has ever held a world's title.

Ritchie Mitchell came the closest to annexing a universal ring title when he fought Benny Leonard in New York City in 1921. Mitchell had Leonard on the floor for a nine-second count in that particular contest, but later in the same bout he was stopped by the champion. Kid Graves claimed the welterweight championship in 1914 and was given the support of a majority of boxing authorities in his claim, but Ted (Kid) Lewis, the English fighter, then captured the honors through a series of elimination contests.

Milwaukee, at the present time, has another prospect for world's honors in Johnny Mendelsohn, a lad who recently set Benny Leonard a terrific pace in an eight-round bout at Philadelphia. It was back in 1918 that Mendelsohn first loomed up as a contender for the premier honors of the 135-pound division. He met Ritchie Mitchell in Milwaukee, scored five knock downs and won the unanimous decision of the newspaper critics. He is also credited with a victory over Pinkey Mitchell, and a glance over his records will reveal bouts with such men as Lew Tendler, Rocky Kansas, Sailor Friedman, Johnnie Clinton, Pete Hartley, Leonard, and many of the more prominent boxers.

In his entire career Mendelsohn has never been knocked out, nor has he ever suffered the humiliation of a knock down. Philadelphia writers were unanimous in declaring that Mendelsohn gave Leonard one of his hardest battles since he wrested the championship from Freddie Welsh. Today, Johnnie is convinced he can whip the champion in a decision bout, and negotiations for a titular struggle are now pending. He plans a Fall and Winter campaign which, he hopes, will entitle him to a return meeting with Leonard for the championship.

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HOCKEY TEAMS BATTLE TO DRAW AT GANGES

GANGES, Oct. 26.—A most interesting grass hockey match took place at the Agricultural Show Grounds this week between a South Cowichan team and one from the Salt Spring Hockey Club. It proved a good, hard and well contested game, and resulted in a draw, 3-3.

Unfortunately, a few minutes before the match ended, D. C. Roberts, centre half for Salt Spring, met with an accident. He had to be carried from the field and taken to the Gulf Islands Hospital, where he was attended by Dr. Sutherland. He will be a patient there for a time. His place on the field was taken to the end of the game by V. Case Morris.

The three goals for Cowichan were scored by E. Leggatt, 2; L. Dukes, 1. For Salt Spring, Dermot Crofton scored the three.

The teams were:

South Cowichan—Mrs. Waldy, Miss Waldy, Miss Palmer, Miss B. Palmer, Mrs. E. Leggatt, Porter, R. Hammer Jones, D. Scott, L. Dukes, H. Cox, E. Leggatt.

Salt Spring—Jack Abbott, Miss Beryl Scott, Mrs. Best, D. C. Roberts, Reg. Price, Weatherall, Dermot Crofton, H. A. Robinson, Desmond Crofton, Miss G. Lang, Miss Di Crofton.

Referee—Simpson.

About midday the Cowichan team and their friends came by launch to Vasuvius Bay, where they were met by motor cars and taken to Harbour House for lunch, and after tha match they returned to Harbour House for tea, where several of the islanders had been invited by Mrs. Fred Crofton to meet them.

Among the visitors with the Cowichan party were Mrs. Porter, Mrs. Laurie Dukes, Miss MacDowall, and among the local guests were Mr. and Dr. Sutherland, Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Scott, Mrs. Hailey, Mrs. Borradaile, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crofton, Mrs. Pender, Mrs. D. S. Harris, Col. Peck, Mr. H. W. Bullock, Capt. Best, Miss Bell-Irving, Miss V. Mauda and several others.

CARDIFF CITY TODAY MEETS LOWEST TEAM

Notts County Will Perform at Everton—Scottish League Feature Is Rangers vs. Celtic

LONDON, Oct. 26.—English association football games a week ago, in the first division, resulted in three wins for visiting teams, five for home clubs and three draws. Tomorrow the same contestants again confront each other.

The league leaders, Cardiff City, travel to Preston, the club which continues to occupy the lowliest position in the table. Notts County will journey to Everton. Huddersfield will play Birmingham.

Sheffield United go to Burnley, whom they defeated in their last game by two to one.

In the second division, the league leaders, South Shields, battle with Clapton Orient at home. Leeds United will entertain Port Vale at Leeds. Stoke have Hull City at home and Derby County meet Southampton.

In the Scottish League by far tho most interesting battle will be that between metropolitan rivals, Rangers and Celtic, scheduled for Ibrox Park. The Rangers have had eight wins and two draws, while tha Celtic have, out of eleven games, won five, drawn four and dropped two.

KINGSTON STREET TENNIS CLUB MEETS

The adjourned annual meeting of the Kingston Street Tennis Club will be held in the offices of Mr. C. H. O'Halloran, 807 Central Building, at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon.

MRS. PHILBRICK WINS CLUB HONOR

MITCHELL & DUNCAN CUP GOES TO J. R. WAGHORN

Finals in Victoria Golf Society's Contests Are Played on Oak Bay Links—Runners-Up

Mrs. Philbrick won the championship flight in the Victoria Golf Club's ladies' championship competition yesterday on the links of the club at Oak Bay, winning the finals from Mrs. Parry, 4 and 2. Mrs. Paterson was the winner of the first flight, gaining this honor from Mrs. H. Heisterman in the final contest.

At the conclusion of the competition Mr. A. C. Burdick, the donor of the handsome cup, which is emblematic of the ladies' club championship, presented the prizes.

Mrs. Philbrick retains the cup for one year or until the club championship is again played for. She also won a box of golf balls and a box of golf balls was awarded to Mrs. Parry, the runner-up, and Mrs. Paterson, the winner of the first flight.

J. R. Waghorn won the Challoner and Mitchell Cup competition, securing victory over Hew Paterson yesterday in the finals, 1 up. A. S. Musgrave won the first flight from Louis York, 3 and 2. In the second flight, McInnes and Baird have yet to play off in the semi-finals, and the winner will play Carew Martin in the finals.

By winning this competition Mr. Waghorn is awarded the handsome challenge cup presented by Challoner & Mitchell some years ago, which he retains for one year or until the competition is next played; he will also be given a miniature cup by the club, which he will retain.

RING CHAMPIONS DODGE BATTLES

Some of Them Running in Circles to Keep From Working, While Others Are Financiers

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—Because of the invalidity or the skittishness of all the champions, from Pancho Villa, the flyweight, to Jack Dempsey, the heavyweight, the fight clubs of New York are now compelled to use the runners-up in various divisions to make up the best bouts they can at moderate prices.

Villa, flyweight champion, dodged a bout with Frankie Genaro, American champion, who has whipped him three times. Villa prefers to box bantamweights to no decision, thereby running no risk of losing his title.

Joe Lynch last week dodged a fight with Joe Burman, and wants to box Johnny Dundee for the featherweight title, while Dundee ignores the featherweights, and challenges Benny Leonard for the lightweight championship. Leonard, in turn, sidestepped Charlie White during the Summer, and tried to get a bout with Walker for the welterweight championship.

Walker is barred in New York and New Jersey. Harry Greb, the middleweight champion, is doing business in the no-decision territory, because New York referees compel him to fight according to the rules, which forbid butting, heeling and gouging.

Mike McTigue refuses to meet Tom Gibbons and risk his light-heavyweight championship, and Dempsey wants $500,000 for fighting anyone.

PROGRAMME FOR OPENING EVENT

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The time set for the opening is 3 o'clock in the afternoon. A guard of honor consisting of fifty-five men from the Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry and fifteen men from other units, including the Royal Canadian Artillery and the Royal Canadian Engineers, will be lined up in front of the Parliament Buildings under Major D. A. Clark and Captains Thackery and Underwood.

There will be no naval guard, although the naval units at Esquimalt will be represented by six officers, Lieut.-Commander C. T. Beard, Lieut. G. L. Stephens, Lieut. M. J. R. O. Cozette, Lieut. F. R. Gow and Lieut. R. C. Watson.

Lieut.-Governor Walter C. Nichol will arrive in his car shortly before 3 o'clock and will enter the Parliament Buildings by the main entrance, where he will be received by Speaker F. A. Pauline attired in his robes of office.

The Speaker will escort the Lieut.-Governor through the corridor to the Legislative Assembly Hall, where all the ministers and private members will be assembled.

Following the entrance of the the Lieutenant-Governor prayers will be offered by the Right Rev. Bishop Schofield.

Following the formality of declaring the session open the Lieut.-Governor, from his place near the Speaker's dais, will deliver the speech from the Throne, which will outline some of the measures that the Government proposes to bring down during the session.

The House will then go through the brief preliminary motions of a regular business session when Attorney-General A. M. Manson introduces a bill. This is merely a matter of form, as adjournment will be moved immediately after, and the Legislature will not get down to the series of addresses in reply to the speech from the Throne, which marks the initial stage of all sessions, until Tuesday afternoon.

Free State Member Given Big Majority

DUBLIN, Oct. 26.—Attorney-General Hugh Kennedy won by a plurality of more than 12,000 in the by-election to the Dail Eireann to fill the vacancy in the South Dublin district, the result of which was announced today.

Attorney-General Kennedy received 23,676 votes and Mr. O'Mullins, the Republican candidate, 11,502. The constituency covers the whole of Dublin City south of the Liffey and includes the most fashionable quarters as well as the worst slums. The figures indicate a slight Republican improvement.

Cricket Notes

By A. B. B.

Final English Averages

The final averages for the English cricket season recently concluded are noteworthy for the success of Elias Hendren as a batsman and the power of Wilfred Rhodes as a bowler. Both cricketers were at the head of their respective departments the previous season, and it says a great deal for them that they were able to retain their skill during another campaign.

Hendren is the only batsman that has scored over three thousand runs, and thus joins an illustrious circle of cricketers who have obtained the coveted figures.

The players referred to are Tom Hayward, Surrey; Robert Abel, Surrey; K. S. Ranjitsinhji, Sussex; John Tyldesley, Lancashire; and C. B. Fry, Sussex.

Hendren has also equalled the record of Fry and Hayward in scoring thirteen centuries in a season.

The consistency of Hendren has been remarkable. For four years out of the five since the close of the war he has headed the batting averages.

Below will be found the doings of the outstanding cricketers of the year:

Batting

	Average
Hendren, Middlesex	77.13
Mead, Hampshire	59.16
Makepeace, Lancashire	49.14
Hearne, Middlesex	47.46
Crawley, Worcestershire	44.50
Payton, Notts	43.61
Hallows, Lancashire	43.57
J. L. Bryan, Kent	43.75
Sandham, Surrey	43.17
Sutcliffe, Yorkshire	41.31
Woolley, Kent	41.00
Dipper, Gloucestershire	40.15
Holmes, Yorkshire	w39.83
Ducat, Surrey	38.71
Jardine, Surrey	38.16
Hobbs, Surrey	37.84
John Gunn, Notts	37.83
E. Tyldesley, Lancashire	37.77
W. W. Hill-Wood, Derbyshire	36.06
Whysall, Notts	36.04
Geo Gunn, Notts	35.97
J. C. W. MacBryan, Somerset	35.90
Bowley, Sussex	35.75
M. K. Foster, Leicestershire	35.68
Lowry, Somerset	35.54

Bowling

The principal bowling averages follow:

	Wkts	Avg.
Rhodes, Yorkshire	134	11.84
R. Kilner, Yorkshire	158	12.91
Macaulay, Yorkshire	166	13.85
Tate, Sussex	219	13.97
Matthews, Notts	116	13.20
White, Somerset	148	13.58
R. Tyldesley, Lancashire	149	13.52
Freeman, Kent	167	13.53
Parkin, Lancashire	209	16.94
R. Glasgow, Somerset	104	17.40
Gilligan, Sussex	145	17.60
Geary, Leicestershire	122	17.95
Staples, Notts	93	18.43
Barrett, Notts	101	18.64
Parker, Gloucestershire	172	18.77
Woolley, Kent	101	19.18
Kennedy, Hampshire	184	19.55
Cox, Sussex	105	19.65
Richmond, Notts	121	19.87
Fender, Surrey	178	19.98
Hearne, Middlesex	113	20.02
Root, Worcestershire	170	20.65
Howell, Warwickshire	153	20.64

Greatness of Rhodes

Three Yorkshire bowlers occupy the leading positions on the average table, with Wilfred Rhodes on top. For a man of his age his performance year after year is remarkable.

Since cricket was resumed after the war, he has been the leading bowler in England for three of the five years. Away back in 1900 and 1901 the famous left-hander headed the averages, and since then he has gained the honor on several occasions.

Tate's Fine Work

In spite of the success of Rhodes, Kilner and Macaulay for Yorkshire, the work of Maurice Tate, of Sussex, is deserving of special mention. Many critics in England have declared that "Tate must be considered the premier bowler of the year." Tate and Cecil Parkin (Lancashire) are the only trundlers to have obtained over two hundred wickets this year.

The coming of the young Sussex bowler has certainly been a feature of the season. Last year he secured 119 wickets for 17.42 runs apiece, while this Summer he had advanced to 219 wickets at 13.97. In other words, he has captured one hunrded more batsmen than in 1922, and reduced his average by 3.45.

No better achievement has been recorded since cricket was resumed after the war. Young Tate is sure following "in father's footsteps," because his dad was a notable Sussex bowler many years ago.

Woolley's Double Event

Frank Woolley, the Kent cricketer, has enjoyed another good year. For the third season in succession he has captured over a hundred wickets and scored over two thousand runs. He also hit up the highest individual score of the year, 270 runs.

Root, of Worcestershire, has proved a surprise packet. He was only a moderate bowler in the previous campaign, with 41 wickets, but this year he came away in great style and took 170 wickets.

Hope for the Future

Commenting on the season now closed, an English critic summarizes the outlook thus:

"Altogether, the past season increases hope for the future of English cricket, although we are still short of pace in the attack, with the result that our batsmen are not at home to fast bowling. The play against the West Indians proved this beyond doubt."

Hirst and Rhodes

It is a wonderful tribute to the consistent form of Rhodes that he should equal Hirst's record, for it must be remembered that there were four blank years in the period, and whereas Hirst accomplished his deeds in seventeen years, Rhodes has been twenty seasons. It is quite likely that Rhodes will establish a fresh record next Summer.

For the benefit of those who would like to see what each of the pair has done in creating their fine record, a list of the achievements, compiled with the help of the invaluable "Wisden," is given, as follows:

GEORGE HIRST

Year	Runs	Wkts.
1896	1,172	104
1897	1,535	101
1901	1,960	143
1903	1,844	158
1904	2,501	155
1905	2,744	110
1906	2,385	208
1907	1,254	164
1908	1,598	174
1909	1,256	115
1910	1,349	164
1911	1,789	137
1912	1,333	113
1913	1,540	101

WILFRED RHODES

Year	Runs	Wkts.
1903	1,127	193
1904	1,837	131
1905	1,841	182
1906	1,731	154
1907	1,956	177
1908	1,373	115
1909	1,894	141
1911	2,261	117
1914	1,277	118
1919	1,757	144
1920	1,126	141
1921	1,474	141
1922	1,411	119
1923	1,022	128

Tribute to Yorkshire

The following comment on Yorkshire county cricketers was written by one who has followed their doings with close interest this year:

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Many people took the monotonous success of Yorkshire in the county cricket championship during the past Summer rather badly. They credited the Yorkshiremen with arrogancy, with internal bickerings, and goodness knows what else. It was all in very bad taste, because it was all so ridiculously false.

After being intimately associated with the Yorkshire team for a large part of the season, one can afford to shrug one's shoulders and smile at such stories, but there were places, as there were bound to be, where these weird yarns were eagerly swallowed, and repeated with much gusto.

The whole grisly myth can be swept away by one little sentence: Yorkshire won the championship because they were a team, and not eleven indviduals. They had five wonderful bowlers; but, transcending everything was the team spirit.

Of course, you generally find members of any sporting team separate into small groups. Holmes, Sutcliffe and Leyland are usually to be found together; Macaulay, Waddington and Dolphin are a merry trio; and Oldroyd and Robinson are almost inseparable. Rhodes and Roy Kilner do not join in the fun that is "going" quite so much as the others.

The comedian of the team is Robinson, known as "Ezra" to his intimate friends, and as "Robbo" to the Yorkshire crowd. But he has a rival for that distinction in Waddington, whose humor, however, is not so dry and "old-fashioned" as Robinson's. Exactly what Robinson means to the team it would be impossible to say. He is game to the last run, and places his side before himself in everything he does. Put the ball in his hand, and no one can make him believe that Yorkshire could lose.

On the contrary, Waddington gives up too quickly. On his good days he is one of the most dangerous bowlers in the world, with a prodigious break-back and a most pronounced swerve. On his bad days he is almost puerile. A man of moods, he is yet a match-winner—and a magnificent slip field.

The Two Kilners

As a conversationalist on everything concerning the game of cricket give me Roy Kilner. Possessed of a charming manner, he knows the game inside out; no England team in the near future can be complete without him. But he hates to field in the slips! His brother Norman simply had no luck at all with the county; he got the good balls before he was set, and what a friend of mine calls the "half-chances" always came his way. He should be a great asset to Warwickshire.

Holmes, Sutcliffe nd Leyland are all very quiet. The last-named is going to be a great player. He has the defence of Warren Bardsley and the powerful off-drive of Frank Woolley; and, greatest of all assets, he has youth.

It would be almost presumptuous to discuss Rhodes; he stands out as the ideal professional. And he must possess the elixir of eternal youth. How often have he and Dolphin rallied a younger member of the side when he seemed to lose heart?

Like Waddington, Macaulay is one of your tamperamental players, but, with his nip off the pitch, a magnificent bowler on a wicket on which the ball could be turned the least bit.

Yorkshire's strength lay in her professionals, but the two Wilsons—Geoffrey and Rockley—played their part. The former had no luck at all with the bat, but he always had the confidence of his men, and what a lot that can mean.

Rockley Wilson did not meet with so much success with his bowling as usual, but with him in the team all through the Summer one could almost write down Yorkshire as unbeatable. And one can think of no more lovable character in the game than this Sheffield amateur.

Yorkshire have now won the County Championship in two consecutive seasons. Who is to prevent them winning it again next year?—W.F.S.

Famous Brothers

Mr. J. E. K. Studd topped the poll in the election of an alderman for the Farringdon Without Ward of the City of London. Mr. Studd has done much good work for healthy sport, and is the secretary of the Polytechnic in Regent Street, the nursery of many famous amateur boxers.

He comes of a famous cricketing family, and his brothers in the eighties did a great deal for the national game. He himself played for Eton, Cambridge University and Middlesex.

His brothers, E. J. C., C. T., A. H., G. B., R. A., and Brigadier-General H. W. Studd, in their day, all rendered yeoman service in the ranks of Eton, Cambridge University, Middlesex and Hampshire. Their record as a family has never probably been surpassed, their nearest rivals possibly being the great Walker brothers, also of Middlesex, and the Graces, of Gloucestershire.

DAVE SHADE MAKES WELLS FEEL UNWELL

Californian Outpoints English Welterweight Champ, Who Took Blows Without Return

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—Dave Shade, of California, won the judges' decision over Billy Wells, welterweight champion of England, after fifteen rounds of fighting in Madison Square Garden tonight. Shade weighed 147 pounds and Wells 145.

The fight was one-sided and uninteresting, Shade taking virtually every round and striking his opponent at will.

Shade's punches, although seeming to lack steam, inflicted punishment on the English champion, who tried to bore in, but was held off by rapid jabs. At times Wells took as many as five blows without a return.

Butte Mine Wages Ordered Reduced

BUTTE, Mont., Oct. 26.—Notices posted today at all the Butte mines, as well as at the reduction plants of Butte, Great Falls and Anaconda announce, that the reduction of fifty cents per shift in the pay of all employees will take effect November 1. This scale will give the miners and smeltermen $4.75 a day, which was the scale in effect prior to September 21, 1922, when wages were voluntarily increased by tha mining companies fifty cents a day. The cut will affect about 14,000 employes in the three cities.

Los Angeles county has more than half of the million-odd automobiles registered in California.

In September, 1920, alcoholic liquors were dropped from the medical supplies bought for the United States navy.

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Usual Prices

RHINELAND REPUBLICANS ABANDON THEIR PLAN

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police who continued to do duty under direction of the Separatists.

Muenchen-Gladbach is still in a state of ferment.

Must Compromise

BERLIN, Oct. 26.—Political leaders close to the government believe that Chancellor Stresemann is confronted with the immediate necessity of adopting a definite policy toward the Rhineland in view of the headway made by the Separatists the last week. Official quarters are in line to admit that the secession movement is developing more strength despite what they term the heroic opposition of the German population.

Many Killed in Hamburg

BERLIN, Oct. 26.—One hundred persons were killed in the street fighting in Hamburg on Tuesday and Wednesday, the full reports of the disorders show. An equal number of demonstrators were wounded. Hamburg messages today said the shipyard workers were still on strike.

Unemployed Pillage

DUSSELDORF, Oct. 26.—A crowd of unemployed persons took part in a violent demonstration in the Stahlstresse today. They pillaged stores and broke many windows.

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At the Playhouses

LAW OF THE NORTH DEPICTS FRONTIER

Mr. Allan Wishert, Playwright, Appears in His Own Production at Pantages Theatre

At Pantages Theatre this week-end theatregoers have the opportunity of witnessing a play of the North, with the writer taking a leading part in his own production. Mr. Allan Wishert has made a study of the characters of Alaska, and his play, "The Law of the North," essentially reflects the wild life that is met with in that territory. As the name implies there is an absence of drawing-room scenes and the life of the centres of population. The plot has for characters men and women who have met life on the outskirts of civilization where the ten commandments are not followed to the letter, but where men are shot if the circumstances seem to warrant this proceedure.

The Macy-Baird Company acquitted themselves well in the handling of the play.

Running through it is the necessary thread of love which calls forth on the part of the leading lady, Miss Margaret Bronson, as Nanine Badger, some very impassioned acting when she defies the villain, Eldred Baldwin a fugitive from justice. The latter role is taken by Mr. Allan Wishert, the author.

The abduction of Nanine Badger from the trading post in Alaska by Baldwin and the virtual imprisonment of her in a cabin in the barrens while a terrific blizzard appears to prevent any release by the party from the post, are all depicted. Pierre Vallois, in the person of Mr. P. A. Dale, who has in former days taken the law into his own hands and committed murder in defending the good name of his wife comes into the play at this lonely cabin, and is obliged under the dictation of Baldwin to stand guard on side, with instructions to shoot down any relief that may chance to live through the storm.

The enlisting of the sympathy of Pierre with the heroine makes a dramatic incident in the play, leading to the conversion of him to her protector and his defiance of Baldwin, who proved his treachery by inducing the simple Pierre to disarm and then shoot him with a revolver.

At the critical moment the situation is relieved by the timely arrival of the relief from the trading post, when Baldwin is taken into custody and the heroine is restored to her friends.

There is a wholesome admixture of humor in the play. Mr. Speck Leitch as Toby Barnum providing a no small measure of it. The author has the clever knack of relieving the most tense situations by Toby's humor.

"The Law of the North" is being presented in very capable style. Mr. John Dale as Andrew McKay, Miss Jean Rose as Marcette McKay, Mr. Howard R. Macy as Jules Beauvale, Mr. Elmer Nordseth as Jas. Cuthbert, Miss Ruth Nagle as Mrs. Blanche Badger, all supplying characteristic northern types in addition to those previously mentioned.

Excellent vaudeville numbers were introduced between scenes.

There will be the usual bargain-price matinee this afternoon.

COLUMBIA THEATRE Not the least important member of the cast of "The Strangers' Banquet," which Marshall Neilan produced in association with Goldwyn, is "Teddy," the famous Mack Sennett dog. There are many other talented dogs in pictures, but "Teddy" rules supreme in his art, so in accordance with Neilan's all star policy and at more soup bones per day than he has ever received, the Sennett dog was engaged for the picturization of the Donn Byrne novel. This photoplay is showing for the last time today at the Columbia Theatre. "Teddy," although a great actor, is entirely democratic. His first work after his arrival at the Goldwyn studio was to clutch a mop between his teeth and help the property man clean up the floor of an elaborate set.

ROYAL THEATRE Alice Calhoun, who plays the leading role in "Pioneer Trails," a Vitagraph special production, in which she will be seen at the Royal Theatre for the last time today, owes her life to the excellent marksmanship of Cullen Landis, who plays opposite her in the film. During the making of the photoplay the company was on location at Chatsworth Mountains, an almost inaccessible spot in the Rocky Mountains. During a lull in the taking of the film, Miss Calhoun strolled away from the scene and seated herself on a rock and resumed studying the manuscript of the photoplay in order to be more conversant with the role she was acting. At the same time Cullen Landis, finding he was not needed before the camera, wandered in the same direction to practice shooting. As he approached the spot where Miss Calhoun was seated quietly reading, he saw to his horror a six-foot rattlesnake sliding in a crack of a rock nearby. The snake was not over eighteen inches from Miss Calhoun, who hearing Landis approach, turned to greet him. Her sudden movement aroused the snake. The reptile coiled to strike. Miss Calhoun, hearing the menacing rattle, turned just as Landis fired twice. The first shot went through itr body, paralyzing it. The second killed it.

DOMINION THEATRE An event unique in the history of the motion picture industry was the holding of the world's premier of the famous scenic production, "The Merry-Go-Round," in connection with the now famous trial run of the United States Shipping Board's monarch of the sea—The Leviathan. The guests invited on the trial voyage numbered some of the biggest and most influential men in the country. While it was a distinguished audience, it was a critical one, and the representatives of the Shipping Board viewed several score of films in their search for an attractive programme. The selection of the "Merry-Go-Round," therefore, was a signal honor for the Universal Pictures Corporation. One of the newspapermen who was aboard at the time stated that following the showing rounds of applause greeted the production.

AMUSEMENTS

The Screen

Capitol—Gloria Swanson in "Zaza."
Columbia—"The Strangers' Banquet," starring Hobart Bosworth.
Dominion — "Merry-Go-Round," starring Mary Philbin and Norman Kerry.
Royal—"Pioneer Trails," starring Cullen Landis.

The Stage

Pantages—"The Law of the North."
Playhouse—"The Bells."

PLAYHOUSE THEATRE "The Bells" will be given at the Playhouse tonight and this afternoon for the last two occasions. This has proved a very popular revival, and has further cemented the esteem in which Mr. Compton and his capable company are held here. Mr. Compton himself does the best work of his career as Matthias, and is ably supported by Miss Peggy Dundas as Annette, Mr. Herbert Leslie as Walther and the judge, Mr. Clifford Winters as Christian, Miss Agnes Burton as Catherine, Mr. George Durham as Hans, and Miss Winifred Maguire, Mr. G. Gibson-Gunn, Mr. George Denton and Mr. Wilfrid Hill in minor roles.

CAPITOL THEATRE Director Allan Dwan, Gloria Swanson, H. B. Warner, Ferdinand Gottschalk, Lucille LaVerne, Riley Hatch, Mary Thurman and others had a silver jubilee all their own at the Paramount Long Island studio during the filming of "Zaza," a Paramount Picturization of the famous French play, which was produced twenty-five years ago in Paris. The play was first produced in the French capital in 1898, with Mme. Rejane in the title role. The following January, David Belasco produced the play in New York for Charles Frohman, with Mrs. Leslie Carter in the role. It was this part that placed Mrs. Carter in the front rank of actresses on the American stage. "Zaza," which gives Gloria Swanson the best role of her screen career, will be shown at the Capitol Theatre for the last time today. H. B. Warner is her leading man and heads a strong supporting cast.

ORIGINALS IN A NEW REVUE AT THE ROYAL VICTORIA NEXT WEEK

A number of innovations are featured in the Originals' new revue, "Rapid Fire," which has already established a new era in Canadian theatredom. This stellar organization of funmakers, who organized behind the lines in France first as the Third Division C. E. F. Entertainers, then the Dumbells, now has fifteen of the original troupe and some other artists of prominence. They are coming to the Royal Victoria Theatre on October 31, November 1 and 2, with something extraordinary in the manner of a musical attraction.

During the war the Originals played over a thousand performances behind the lines in France and Belgium, sometimes in huts and often out in the open or in marquees. They also appeared in Paris, Mons, Brussels and London, playing before many people of note. They are now contemplating a tour of the British Dominions, taking in Australia, New Zealand, India and South Africa.

HAROLD LLOYD TRIES TO SPANK GIANT IN HIS LATEST FILM

So far as Harold Lloyd is able to recall, he only had three spankings, and those were equally divided among his father, mother and grandmother. A scolding always cut the sensitive boy much deeper than any beating possibly could have done. Because Harold's mother has always been his idol, when she would tell him that she was disappointed in him because of something he had done or because he had hurt her by some mischievous prank, he was hurt for her and was much more effectively punished than by switching.

Everybody goes through the running-away-from-home period, and with Harold Lloyd it came at the age of six or seven. His great delight was to "hook" on street cars, and it was being caught doing this that led to the one and only spanking he can remember ever receiving from his dad.

In "Why Worry?" his newest Pathecomedy, coming to the Dominion Theatre next week, Harold Lloyd tries to spank a giant, but finds it easier to quell a Spanish revolution.

OPENING SEASON ON MONDAY EVENING

Ladies' Musical Club Will Present Madame Grace Wood Jess in Song Recital

Victorians are to have the opportunity on Monday evening next of hearing Madame Grace Wood Jess.

The Victoria Ladies' Musical Club is opening the season with this unique recital, and a big house is expected to greet Madame Jess on her first appearance in the city. She is also opening the year's work for the Vancouver Women's Club, and for the clubs in Seattle and Tacoma, which gives some indication of the standing she has as an artist.

The entire programme, which will begin at 8.30, should prove of unusual interest. Members presenting 1923-24 cards will be admitted free.

CONDEMNS BASIS OF CHURCH UNION

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Kept in Ignorance

"They are keeping the people in ignorance with regard to the basis of church union and the legislation they propose," he went on. "There was a time when the Bible was kept from the mass of the people. It required much time, and the sacrifice of much blood to place it in the hands of the people in an understandable form. The unionists might do well to bear this in mind.

"They say that church union is an assured thing; that it is a closed matter. Yet in my trip from Prince Edward Island to Victoria I have not found any strong feeling in favor of it. Rather I have found a strong tide of feeling rising against it. They say that in Australia it is about to be consummated. But in Australia church union is as dead as a door nail. They say that it will soon be a reality in the Old Country. But if they knew England, Scotland, Ireland and Wales as I know those countries, they would not say that Presbyterians, Methodists and Congregationalists were about to join forces."

Not Representative

That the personnel of the general assembly which decided in favor of church union was not a truly representative body was one of the points Mr. McConnell emphasized. He stated that one Halifax man who had not been inside a presbytry for five years had been appointed a delegate from Quebec solely because it was known that he was in favor of union.

The three great standards of the Presbyterian Church, the Westminster Confession of Faith, the Larger Cathechism and the Shorter Catechism, had been ignored in the preparation of the basis for union, stated the speaker. Indeed the confession had been treated even with contempt. But now the moderator was citing it as an argument in favor of union. Under the terms of union the Shorter Cathechism, that stronghold of faith and inspiration, would be destroyed.

Inconsistency Charged

Mr. McConnell charged the unionists with inconsistency of attitude throughout the history of the movement. "In 1904," he said, "the understanding was between the three churches that any union to be real and lasting must have the unqualified support and sympathy of all the congregations involved. After the plebiscite in 1911, when 112,000 votes were cast for and 50,000 against union, they decided that opinion must be unanimously in favor of the proposition. In 1915 the plebiscite resulted in an increase of only 600 votes for union, while 323,000 were cast against it, 150,000 people not voting at all. In 1917 they halted the movement to await the guidance of the Holy Spirit and the benefit of the experience of the war. And yet in 1921 they decided to do without these and to consummate union as expeditiously as possible.

"Unionists say that your position will be materially the same under the terms of union. But there are three big points of difference. First, the power conferred on the general council will make it supreme in the general conference; secondly, the stationing committee will have supreme powers, reporting to the presbyteries only to give information; and, thirdly, the system of calling ministers will be entirely changed in a manner unacceptable to all true Presbyterians.

Objectionable Alternative

"We will be legislated into church union as a Presbyterian Church. If we decline we must leave the church, willy-nilly, with no standing at all. They would give us the alternative of joining the Union Church of Canada, or of simply getting out of our accustomed places of worship. We would lose our church funds; the members would lose all right to the investments they have made in church property. If 501 members of a church voted for union, and 500 against it, those latter people would lose every last cent of their holdings in the church."

Mr. McConnell thought it would be a misnomer to style the proposed organization the United Church of Canada, when at least two of the great denominations of the country would be left out.

According to the speaker, the anti-unionists are strongly organized in every province of the Dominion. The women of the church are being enrolled in leagues to oppose church union, and last night steps were taken to organize the women of Victoria's Presbyterian churches into a league.

In his speech introducing the speaker of the evening, the Rev. Mr. Jackson refuted the contention of Eastern unionists that there is no opposition to church union in the West. The Rev. Charles Gordon, better known as "Ralph Connor," had made this statement. "But," said Mr. Jackson, "Ralph Connor is so accustomed to writing fiction that he finds it difficult to get away from it now."

A preliminary meeting of the Presbyterian Association was held at Spencer's yesterday at noon to discuss plans for the campaign inaugurated last night.

ESQUIMALT TRADERS CELEBRATE BIRTHDAY

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tories established on Vancouver Island.

Mr. R. H. Pooley, M.P.P.

Mr. Pooley dealt with the possibilities of the Esquimalt district and surrounding sections. A great many people possessed but limited knowledge of the potentialities of the district in which they lived, he claimed, and asked how many in the banquet hall had been to the San Juan district, which was a comparatively short distance from Esquimalt. Such a trip would be a revelation to a great many, he added. It was one of the most fertile sections of Vancouver Island, and it was being neglected because of lack of transportation.

"The only present means of reaching San Juan is by a Canadian Pacific Railway steamship, which, by the grace of God, runs once a fortnight," he said. "I have been advocating a road to connect San Juan with Victoria and the other municipalities of south Vancouver Island for years. I want to see that district developed and it is up to all of us to urge that a road be built. If it is not built, it is very probable that the commerce which does develop at that point will be controlled from Vancouver in a manner similar to the control of the Mainland of the northern sections of Vancouver Island."

The speaker touched briefly on other Island districts, including Shawnigan and Cowichan, and gave information respecting them which astonished a great many of those comprising the audience. Speaking ahout industry in Esquimalt and surrounding districts, Mr. Pooley asserted that in view of the great timber resources of the Island and the degree with which they were being exploited, more lumber mills should exist on local harbors, including those of Esquimalt, Victoria and Sooke. He spoke of the great quantities of unmanufactured timber which was being sent from the Island to the United States, and he wondered how long the people were going to stand for it. Recently, he said, he had met a man who planned to spend $300,000 on the erection of a sawmill at Bellingham which would depend for its raw material on timber cut from crown lands on Vancouver Island. The mill builder had asked him what he thought of the plan, and he had advised against it and warned him that it would not be long before the people of Canada passed laws which would prevent the exportation of timber in its raw or unmanufactured state.

Alderman Sargent

Hearty endorsation of the spirit of co-operation which animated the members of the Esquimalt Board of Trade was given by Alderman Sargent, of the Victoria City Council. It had been his privilege to support as a member of the Victoria Council several measures which called for co-operation with Esquimalt, and he believed such a spirit was absolutely necessary if the people of all districts on the southern end of Vancouver Island were to secure the benefits to which they were entitled. He assured the Board that so far as he was concerned the City Council would continue its efforts to co-operate to the fullest possible extent.

Alderman Sargent was the first of the speakers to introduce the Oriental labor problem. In connection with a reference to unemployment, he asserted that in many of the local sawmills white labor comprised but ten per cent of the total. He believed that if it had not been for the employment of Orientals there would have been very little unemployment in Vancouver Island.

"While the Oriental has a place in the world," he added, "yet I am convinced that there should be a more equitable distribution of employment of labor in many of the Island industries. The sawmills should employ at least fifty per cent white labor."

Hon. Mr. Pauline, M.P.P.

Hon. Mr. Pauline, Speaker in the Provincial Legislature, and member for the constituency of Saanich, voiced his unqualified approval of the stand taken by Captain Matthewson relative to the industrial future of Esquimalt and her neighbors. He complimented the board secretary on his address, and stated that he had looked into the future and had expressed his confidence in no uncertain manner. He had been absolutely right in doing so, Hon. Mr. Pauline said. Esquimalt at one time had been known around the world because it was a great naval base and great fleets of warships called there. He ventured to predict that in a short time Esquimalt would again be a familiar name around the globe, this second time because she was a great industrial centre.

Power Outlook

Mr. Halls, one of the officials of the British Columbia Electric Company, gave an interesting address regarding the position occupied by the company he represented, in the life of Vancouver Island and the Province. His company believed so implicitly in the future ahead of British Columbia that it had confined all its great investments to this Province, and a good portion of them had been concentrated on Vancouver Island. At the present time the company was supplying thirty thousand commercial horse-power to the City of Victoria and was meeting an increase of approximately one thousand horse-power per year. They were spending nearly $200,000 in the erection of a second transmission line to the Jordan River power site in order to assure patrons of uninterrupted service, and another large sum would have to be spent soon at Jordan River in order to develop more power, he said.

The industrial growth of the municipalities surrounding Victoria concerned the electric company very closely as they were called upon to supply power to meet every expansion, he pointed out. Therefore each municipality could depend on the full co-operation of the B. C. Electric.

Councillor H. O. Kirkham

Councillor Kirkham, of Saanich municipality, gave a brief address, but as representative of the Retail Merchants' Association of Victoria, of which he is president. He confined his remarks to the question of taxation, with particular reference to the present form of the personal property tax.

Mr. Halsall, manager of the Esquimalt waterworks system, gave brief explanation of the methods adopted in supplying water to patrons and in charging. He claimed that objection had been levelled at the company relative to their charges, but he believed they were due to misunderstanding. Many of the previous speakers had spoken of co-operation, he said, and he would like to see more co-operation applied between the water company and the users.

Secret of Exodus

Mrs. Hodges, head of the Women's Canadian Club, of Victoria, spoke of the injury British Columbia had received and was still receiving by reason of the departure of many of her young people and her skilled mechanics to the United States. It was a tremendously serious condition, she contended, and grew more serious when examined closely. In regard to the mechanics, they were men skilled in their trades and British Columbia could ill afford to lose them. Explaining that she did not wish to speak disparagingly of the trades unions, yet she believed it was a fact that under present conditions men were not being trained in their trades to the extent formerly necessary, and as a result mechanics of the future would not be as efficient as those who were leaving for the south.

Mr. George I. Warren

Mr. Warren, manager of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce, was another advocate of co-operation. It was the oil which allowed the machinery to operate without burning out bearings and getting tangled up, and he complimented the Esquimalt Board of Trade on the splendid co-operative spirit which existed at their banquet.

Brief addresses, each one filled with enthusiasm and the desire to foster the community spirit, were given by Mr. Taylor, representing the Board of Trade of Sidney; Mr. Miller Higgs, secretary of the Sooke Harbor Development Association; Mr. Banfield, representing the Victoria West Brotherhood; Councillor MacNicol, representing the Municipality of Saanich in the enforced absence of Reeve Watson; and Reeve Lockley, of Esquimalt.

Reeve Lockley was the last speaker of the evening, and in masterly manner he reviewed the many points touched on by previous speakers, and cemented them together by his own agreement, as representative of the Esquimalt Council, and his enthusiasm.

The splendid musical programme included songs by Mr. Harry Craven, Mr. J. McCall, Miss Beatrice McDonald, Mr. S. White, Miss Davis, and a violin solo by Mr. R. B. Laws.

The banquet was brought to a close by the singing of the National Anthem.

A beetle called the "death watch" beetle all but riddled the roof of Westminster Hall, necessitating expensive repairs.

The problem of forest fires in France is becoming exceedingly serious

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Vancouver Island

TENNIS DANCE HELD AT GANGES HARBOR

Annual Social Function of Salt Spring Island Association Proves a Pronounced Success

GANGES HARBOR, Oct. 26.—The Salt Spring Island annual tennis dance took place at the Mahon Hall, Ganges, on Tuesday. Between fifty and sixty members and their friends from Salt Spring, Vancouver Island, Mayne and Galiano Islands were present and thoroughly enjoyed the splendidly organized entertainment. Not the least of the attractions was the excellent music supplied by Hunt's orchestra, to the strains of which the dancers availed themselves of every minute between 9 p.m. and 2 a.m.

The hostess was Mrs. V. Case Morris. The decorations in the hall were simple yet exceedingly pretty, and were in the hands of Miss Beryl Scott and helpers. Masses of yellow and white chrysanthemums with ivy adorned the walls; dahlias were to be found in profusion, with a variety of evergreens and Autumn tinted leaves surrounding the doors; and on the stage, which was partly curtained off, black and silver crossed tennis rackets gave a suitable and characteristic effect.

On the tables in the room adjoining, a dainty and delicious supper was served at 11 p.m., superintended by Mrs. Percy Beech. The dance was voted by all who attended it, a great success.

Amongst the guests present were Mr. and Mrs. V. Case Morris, Captain and Mrs. V. C. Best, Mrs. Fred Crofton, Mrs. Harvey, Mrs. Palmer, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Springford, Mrs. Machin, Mrs. Walter Pierce, Mrs. Elliott, Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Heinneky, Mr. Fred Abbott, Mr. H. W. Bullock, Mrs. Percy Blizard, Miss Aitkens, Miss Harris, Mr. H. A. Robinson, Miss Beryl Scott, Mr. Weatheral, Mr. Harold Price, Mr. Reg. Price, Miss Ingham, Captain Mitchell, Mr. D. C. Roberts, Mr. R. O. King, Miss Frampton, Miss Di Crofton, Mr. Dermot Crofton, Miss Doris Taylor, Mr. Butterfield, Mr. Desmond Crofton, Mrs. O. Green-Wilkinson and party, Mr. Peter Blackburn, Mr. Douglas Wilson, Mr. W. T. Burkitt, Mr. Chas. Burkitt. From Mayne and Galiano Islands, the following were noticed: Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Page, Mrs. Bellhouse, Miss Phyllis Bellhouse, Mr. T. Bellhouse, Miss Val. Maude, Miss Bell-Irving, Miss Nesta Stuard, Mr. Stuard, Mr. Hall, Mr. Cayser, Colonel and Mrs. Tivlis, Captain and Mrs. Brown, Miss Ainsley.

CIVIL CASES END NANAIMO ASSIZES

NANAIMO, Oct. 26.—The Fall assizes, presided over by His Lordship Mr. Justice Murphy, were completed yesterday with the hearing of the civil cases, the first of which was Hutton vs. McDonald and Watts. This was an action to dissolve a partnership at Port Alberni in a general store. The plaintiff maintained that in the consideration of his experience, it had been agreed that he should have one-third interest in the business. Defendants admitted that he was to have one-third interest, but maintained that he was to have paid for it in cash. The judge ruled for the defendants, and ordered a dissolution of the partnership as of date of February 24, when plaintiff had been ejected from the business premises. Mr. V. B. Harrison acted for the plaintiff; while Mr. F. S. Cunliffe conducted the case for the defence.

The next case was that of Mrs. Scott vs. City of Nanaimo, an action for damages, in which plaintiff claimed to have received injuries through the city having failed to keep a sidewalk in proper condition. His Lordship decided in this case that a section of the Local Improvement Act of 1913 was a bar to the action, but held that in case he was wrong in that, in other respects he considered the city liable, and as an appeal was probable, he fixed damages at $1,250 in case the Court of Appeal should disagree with him as to his interpretation of that section of the act. Mr. Cunliffe, who acted for plaintiff, intimated that an appeal would be taken. Mr. F. A. McDiarmid, of Vancouver, defended the case for the city.

Jensen vs. Jensen was a suit for divorce, which was granted, giving the petitioner custody of the only child. Mr. C. H. Beevor-Pots for the petitioner; and Mr. V. B. Harrison for the respondent.

LUCKY BILL

CUMBERLAND, Oct. 25.—When "Bill" Hassard, lineman for the B.C. Telephone Company in this district, learned last night that he held a winning ticket in the big Norwegian Government's legalized lottery, in Christiania, Norway, a pencil and pad was quickly produced, and late on into the night Bill changed his winnings of kroners into good Canadian simoleons. Some weeks ago Hassard paid out ten "bits" taking a chance on beating out the Norwegian lottery expert, John Heavernick, and good fortune smiled on No. 166754. When interviewed today, Mr. Hassard stated he had nothing for publication regarding the amount of his winnings.

NEW CHURCH IN SIGHT FOR LANGFORD PARISH

Bishop Schofield at Meeting of Parishioners Thursday Night Encouraged Movement

LANGFORD, Oct. 26.—An enthusiastic meeting of the parishioners of Langford, with the bishop and vicar in attendance, was held in the Langford School on Thursday evening.

Bishop Schofield informed the meeting that owing to the exertions of the vicar, a very substantial gift of money had been received for the church building fund, and that with the sum now in hand, he felt the time had come for Langford to have a church.

The meeting, which was well attended, received the news with very evident pleasure, and in accordance with the wishes of those present, as representatives of the district in general, the church building committee will proceed within the next few days to call for tenders, the intention being to proceed with the erection of the church forthwith.

LASH ADDED TO TERM IN PRISON

Mr. Justice Murphy Emphasizes Need of Protection to Defenceless Women in Remote Districts

NANAIMO, Oct. 26.—E. C. Thomas, an Indian, found guilty of assault on a woman at Oyster River, was yesterday sentenced to fifteen years' imprisonment and fifteen lashes by His Lordship Mr. Justice Murphy, at the Fall session of the Nanaimo Assize Court.

In imposing sentence, His Lordship informed the prisoner he had seriously considered whether or not to inflict the death penalty because of the serious character of the crime of which he had been found guilty. The responsibility of inflicting the death penalty was so great that he did not want to go to the extreme, but in British Columbia, where settlers were so isolated, and men were frequently called by the nature of their occupations to leave their women folks alone, it was necessary that women folks should be given every protection, and this and similar crimes severely dealt with. He would impose sentence of fifteen years and fifteen lashes.

Thomas Tracey, of Nanaimo, was found guilty of indecent assault and sentenced to eighteen months' imprisonment and ten lashes.

Asked if he had anything to say why sentence should not be passed upon him, Tracey made no reply, but his counsel, Mr. F. S. Cunliffe, made, a plea for leniency on the ground of the prisoner being a married man, his family would be destitute and dependent upon the community for support.

His Lordship remarked the crime of which the accused was found guilty was also a serious one. The abuse of little children, was something which must be sternly dealt with, and, unfortunately, the public safety and morals had to be considered in addition to the dependents of one found guilty of such an offence. The only way he could see, to put a stop to crimes of such a nature was to use the whip, and he would impose a sentence of eighteen months and ten lashes.

ATHLETES PLAN FOR SEASON'S GAMES

Saanich Public School Association Plans Interesting Schedule of Contests for This Winter

ROYAL OAK, Oct. 25.—The Saanich Public School Athletic Association, formed some little time ago by the Parent-Teachers' Association, is planning a heavy season of inter-school games. Keen interest is being shown, both by pupils and teachers, and games are arranged each week under the guidance of interested teachers who supervise the play. Transportation is arranged for the players with the co-operation of the Saanich School Board, who are much pleased with the idea of organized sport for the school children.

To augment the funds needed for the association, concerts and lectures are being arranged, the committee in charge of this phase of the work being Mr. W. Jeune, president of the Parent-Teachers' Association; Miss Gordon and Miss Parfitt. Royal Oak Hall has been engaged for a concert on November 23 at 8 o'clock. Talent throughout Saanich and the city will be asked to assist in this effort to place the association in a position to provide necessary equipment for the proposed series of games which will include basketball, football and baseball. As the association progresses additional sports will be introduced.

DEEP COVE SOCIAL

DEEP COVE, Oct. 24.—The Deep Cove Social Club held its weekly card party on Monday evening. There were ten tables of progressive "500" players, the winners being: First lady, Mrs. G. McMullen; first gentleman, Mr. F. Smith; consolation, Mrs. Frost and Mr. R. Simpson. Miss Maud Horth was in charge of the supper room, serving dainty refreshments. The club will hold a dance on November 2, in the hall.

ROAD CONNECTION FOR EAST SOOKE RESIDENTS

Petition Presented to Have the Two Highways Joined so as to Facilitate Business

EAST SOOKE, Oct. 27.—A deputation, consisting of the Rev. R. and Lady Emily Walker, Dr. Francis, Messrs. Donaldson and Davidson, waited on Hon. Dr. Sutherland on Thursday afternoon. They were introduced by the Hon. Minister of Agriculture, Mr. Barrow.

Lady Emily Walker read a petition from the inhabitants and land owners of East Sooke, begging that a road might be constructed connecting the East Sooke main road with the West Sooke Road, past Roche Cove, the distance to be covered being under two miles.

This road, if made, would not only link the two Sookes, thereby promoting social intercourse and facilitate trading, but would also enable East Sooke to make use of the railway. The nearest station at present is Rocky Point, and few use it. Under altered circumstances produce could be sent in to the market, and it would otherwise open up large prospects for the district.

SIDNEY SOCIAL CLUB

SIDNEY, Oct. 26.—The Sidney Social Club held its usual weekly meeting in Matthews' Hall Wednesday night. There were six tables of players of military "500," the prize winners being: First table, Mrs. Crossley, Mr. Rombough (acting lady); Mr. W. Watson and Mr. R. N. MacAuley; second table, Mrs. J. Roberts, Mrs. A. Critchley, Mr. G. McMullen and Rev. T. M. Hughes.

The election of officers took place and resulted as follows: President, Mr. G. Cochrane; vice-president, Mrs. J. T. Harrison; secretary, Mr. J. Roberts; prize committee, Mrs. A. Critchley, Mrs. McLeod and Mr. R. N. MacAuley.

It was decided to hold a sheet and pillowcase masquerade dance on October 31, in Berquist Hall, and committees were appointed as follows: Decoration, Messrs. Watson and Rombough; supper, Mrs. McLeod; convener to choose her own committee; doorkeeper, Mr. G. Hill. Admission will be by invitation cards only. It was decided to appoint the hostesses for social evenings alphabetically. Mrs. Roy Brethour being the next hostess for November 7. Mrs. McMullen was hostess last night, serving refreshments.

LECTURE ON TUBERCULOSIS

SAANICH, Oct. 26.—The educational public lecture on tuberculosis delivered by Dr. A. F. Lamb at Keating on Thursday night, under the auspices of the South Saanich Women's Institute and the Health Centre, was most interesting and instructive. Unfortunately, owing to the very short notice of this meeting the attendance was not quite as good as was expected, but those present felt that their time had been well spent in listening to Dr. Lamb's talk on the causes, prevention and cure of this dread disease. His offer to return at a later date will, no doubt, be taken advantage of. The meeting was presided over by Mrs. Gale.

Following the lecture there was a brief but pleasing musical programme, in which the following ladies took part: Miss Lillian Styan, Miss C. MacNab and Miss Evelyn Nimmo.

WILKINSON ROAD CHURCH

ROYAL OAK, Oct. 26.—A splendid cantata was rendered at the Wilkinson Road Methodist Church on Thursday evening by St. Andrew's Church choir, Victoria, proving a real musical treat to the large number of people taking advantage of the opportunity of hearing the singers render "The Holy City" in splendid style.

Special services in connection with the tenth anniversary of the building of the Wilkinson Road Methodist Church will be held on Sunday, when Mr. John Robson, of Victoria, will deliver a special sermon at the morning service at 11 o'clock. The Young People's Society of the Metropolitan Church, Victoria, is in charge of the evening service at 7 o'clock. A social will be held on Monday evening to celebrate the anniversary, at which a "farewell" will be tendered Mr. J. Pimlott, superintendent of the Sunday school, who is leaving the district.

LIVED IN GAUGUIN'S HOUSE

"It is a misfortune that the biographers and friends of Paul Gauguin have not been able to make researches into his life here in Tahiti, where it was principally lived," writes Robert Keable in the September Century. Mr. Keable had the good fortune to stumble upon the house in Tahiti in which Paul Gauguin had lived for six years. The main portion of the house was as Gauguin had left it. Mr. Keable wrote his article for The Century surrounded by those same colors of sea and sky and land which were Gauguin's inspiration.

From this little house, surrounded by the things Paul Gaugin loved and the people who loved him, Mr. Keable has discovered much that is unknown in the life of the greatest modern master of "L'homme primitif supreme." In his article in the September Century Mr. Keable describes many of the intimate details of Gauguin's life in Tahiti, and contradicts many of the general impressions about him.

"A legend has been constructed in France of the life of Gauguin in Tahiti which is not wholly true. He is represented as lonely, poverty-stricken, and despairing, and so represented for the reasons given above. As a matter of fact, he has friends; if embarrassed, he was never so poor as when bill-sticking in Paris; and he was happy in that he was in time to wrest something from the grip of advancing civilization.

"Sick in body, disappointment and sorrow also entered deeply into his soul. Nevertheless, Paul Gauguin was just in time. He had that consolation. Let that be understood. He sensed rather than saw, perhaps, but still he sensed, 'l'homme primitif supreme.' He was able to fulfil his own formula: 'Glorifier l'homme en lui asservissant la nature par l'Art.' In the Marquesas especially he got down among the dying members of an expiring race in time to leave as a legacy to us a just appreciation of their spirit. And he must have known that he alone could do it. His sacrifice had not been in vain. The world may, perhaps, know another Gauguin, but, if so, he will have been born for Polynesia too late."

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception.

Agricultural Industry

Sir,—Mr. Collis' letter of the 22nd, on the topic of agriculture, suggests that the present unprosperous condition of farming in this Province is due to grading methods and merchandising.

The present high standard method of grading is, however, not profitable to the grower, as is being experienced in the Okanagan. He is marketing at a loss, when it requires three tons of apples to grade out one ton for packing and shipping, and two tons dumped into the lake; while the price for marketing the packed grades has to be lowered to meet the competition of our southern neighbors, working on lower cost of production.

Government support, economic production and co-operative efforts of farmers and growers blended together, would create adequate markets to absorb full production and such wastages as are now found in the dumps of packing houses and fields of the growers.

Cider could be made from the dumps and languishing orchards, but the Government will not permit this economic factor to operate, so the cider presses are idle. Whisky is protected in preference to the grower. Compare the Government's extravagant practices with those thrifty, economical little governments in Europe, like Denmark and the Netherlands. Those, however, are business governments.

The farmer, I insist, must receive support from the Government or the languishing industry will die. It must be fostered and cultivated by the Minister of Agriculture, otherwise what is to justify the portfolio? The co-operative efforts of the farmer and Government support should be united. The Government should collaborate with the farmer instead of adopting the sink or swim method.

The present state of affairs would make it appear as though there were an over-production, but that is not so. In reality, a reduction in production would give healthier statistics and greater prosperity to fewer producers, for it is the uneconomical distribution of produce which gives the appearance of over-production.

Only today I witnessed the pathetic sight in the emigration of a farmer, with his family and effects, to the United States, leaving his property behind him because he could not prosper here under the rotten conditions of agriculture. There are scores besides him going south over the border, thus reducing production. The laws of economics are adjusting themselves, but at the same time reducing revenue to the state. Nature might avert the impending catastrophe if left to herself, but the greatest of all calamities would be an influx of immigrants under present conditions to British Columbia, by artificial means.

I understand an active campaign is being conducted in the British Isles and India for the purpose of settling up the vacant areas of British Columbia. Such a political move should be nipped in the bud until our agricultural disabilities have been removed and the Province is on the road to prosperity, for the sake of those already laboring under a serious handicap, without referring to the moral effect on the unfortunate immigrants.

In this last instance, I would point out, the Government is not helping the industry but seriously harming it.

A. W. PAYNE

Sidney R.M.D., October 25, 1923.

Church Union

Sir,—I will be more than obliged if you will spare me a little space in your paper to say a few words on the above subject. In your issue of today I read a letter by Mr. Thompson, who I see is an advocate of Church Union, but from the text he quotes, evidently in a polite attempt to be funny, he shows his absolutely pitiable ignorance of the whole question. In the first place we non-union people do not wish to be drawn into the union. Why should we be compelled to do so against our will? Is there anything pharisaic in that? In the second place the voice of the people has not been heard, and until it has, Church Union can neither be enforced nor rejected. Is there anything pharisaic in that?

I think Mr. Thompson had better read his Bible more carefully, and with more understanding, and he had also better look up the word Pharisee in the dictionary. Mr. Thompson says that what he is trying to impress on his readers (of his letter) is that the Church Union supporters believe in the birth, life, crucifixion, resurrection and ascension of Jesus Christ; that they worship the same God and are making for the same end. So are we non-union people, and I will go a step further and say that we firmly believe in the Ten Commandments, and especially at this time in the eighth: "Thou shalt not steal." Stealing is what Church Union is in a nutshell. The unionists propose to take away our church and all that appertaineth to it. If that is not stealing I should like to know what is? My opinion of Church Union can best be described in Matthew 23, verse 25: "Woe unto you scribes and Pharisees, hypocrites! For ye make clean the outside of the cup and of the platter, but within are full of extortion and excess." Church Union is like a whited sepulchre, it looks beautiful from the outside, but the inside is full of uncleanness and dead men's bones. Brethren, non-unionists, beware!

W. E. PERRY.

1048 Lyall Street, Esquimalt, B.C., Oct. 26, 1923.

Mr. Lloyd George and Germany

Sir,—I read some extracts from your paper in The Spokesman-Review, of Spokane, with reference to the recent visit of Mr. Lloyd George to the States and Canada, and, in my opinion, you are exactly right.

I was stationed in London for several months after the Armistice, at the American headquarters there, and I had the pleasure of hearing him make his first speech in the House of Commons after the Peace Conference, and he certainly pulled England through the war and kept the various factions united when it seemed that no one other man could; but he is on the wrong track now when he starts in to make excuses for the Boche.

In my opinion, history will prove that the French have done exactly right, and if England had put up a stiff front last Spring the present upheaval in Germany would probably not have happened.

When Mr. C. M. Schwab returned from Europe he stated that Germany was shipping steel products into England cheaper than Hadfield's could turn them out, and tools into the States far cheaper than they could be manufactured here.

Germany has just bought 360,000 tons of wheat from Soviet Russia during this season, and paper marks do not go there.

It has disgusted me to see the approval of Mr. Lloyd George's speeches which has been expressed by the pro-German element here in the States. They think that he is doing fine.

ERLE P. DUDLEY.

435 McKinley Ave., Kellogg, Idaho, U.S.A., Oct. 25, 1923.

Pulpwood Inquiry

BATHURST, N.B., Oct. 26.—The Royal Commission on pulpwood closed its session at Bathurst yesterday and left for Campbellton for sessions on Saturday. This will conclude the itinerary in the Maritime Provinces. A letter which F. J. B. Barnjum sent to the press recently was characterized by the commission as a political epistle.

Originally a bed consisted of merely a hollowed out place in the ground.

HALIFAX MUNICIPAL CLERK DISMISSED

Is Latest Incident in House Cleaning Efforts Being Made in Maritime City—Serious Charges Laid

HALIFAX, Oct. 26.—L. F. Monaghan, city clerk of Halifax for thirty-two years, was dismissed from office by the city council last night.

City Auditor Forster tendered his resignation, but the council refused to deal with it. The dismissal of the city clerk is the latest development which has followed an independent audit of the city's finances, which had resulted in the conviction of former City Collector Robert Theakston for the theft of $34,000, the arrest of Thomas Hayes, ex-secretary of the Housing Commission, on a charge of embezzlement, and the swearing out of a warrant for the arrest of J. A. Walters, former secretary of the Health Board on a similar charge.

We shall doubtless get further indications of this dead set at Mr. Baldwin. He is simply finding out, as countless predecessors of his found out, that the Prime Minister is always blamed for everything that goes wrong. Mr. Baldwin is plainly accumulating a fine collection of political enemies. Ready as they are to take advantage of his ill success abroad and of such disturbing conditions at home as the continuance of unemployment on a great scale, they are in a position to cause him serious embarrassment. He will need all the resolution and sagacity with which his friends credit him if he is to extricate himself triumphantly from his thickening difficulties. — New York Times.

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TOURIST TRAVEL AND ITS RETURN

EXPERT ADDRESSED PUBLIC BODIES YESTERDAY

Miss Geithmann and Mr. Arthur Warren Speakers at Luncheon in Chamber of Commerce

That tourists who passed through Rainier National Park after having visited Victoria and the Island could scarcely find words glowing enough to eulogize the beauty and charm of this city, was one of the interesting points in the address of Miss Harriett Geithmann at yesterday's luncheon under the auspices of the Chamber of Commerce and the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau. Miss Geithman is publicity agent at Yellowstone Park Bureau for both Rainier National Park and the Pacific Northwest. Mr. Arthur Warren, of the Near East Relief Society of the United States, was the other speaker at the luncheon.

Miss Geithmann gave an interesting description of her work of imparting information about Rainier National Park and the Pacific Northwest, including Victoria and the Island, to hundreds of tourists who pass through her depot every day.

"Thirty thousand people entered Rainier National Park from the end of June to the middle of September this year. Seventy-five per cent of these announced their intention of coming north to Vancouver Island," she stated.

The value of the tourist business was made clear in statistics disclosed by the speaker. This year $6,000,000 was left in Yellowstone Park by tourists—$1,400 for every square mile. The State of Washington is richer by $1,500,000 disbursed by sightseers in Rainier National Park. And the sum of $8,000,000 in cash is estimated to have been spent in Seattle in the past three seasons by visitors.

Yellowstone National Park was visited by 138,352 people this year. Of these, 44,806 came by rail, and 91,224 passed through in 27,000 motor cars. The number of cars has grown from 18,000 in 1922 to the enormous figure of the present season. Rainier National Park has been a Mecca for 123,000 visitors this season. Pennsylvania, Ohio and New York States sent the largest contingents to the beauty spots of the West this year.

Miss Geithmann found her interest in the diversity of human types represented in the hundreds of tourists with whom she came into contact each day, a fascinating phase of her work. The picturesque raiment in which many of the people were arrayed had also been a source of much entertainment. A boudoir cap ornamented with an ostrich plume, knickerbockers, and green silk stockings had been bizarre features of the costume of one woman, who held a canary in one hand and led with the other a huge white bulldog.

The humor of strange questions asked her had greatly enlivened her work. One woman had inquired when the timber wolves liked to attack the timber. Another wished to know whether the buffaloes had their fur clipped to make them resemble poodle dogs, or whether they just naturally grew that way. While visiting the state fox farm, another had asked how many skins were obtained from each animal during the year.

Mr. Arthur Warren, who is returning from an investigation of the condition of affairs in the Near East, described the formation of the Near East Relief Society, and gave details of its present work. He stated that the society had made an investment of over $70,000,000 in the men, women and children whom disaster has overtaken as a consequence of the Great War. Apraham Poochigian, ten-year-old survivor of a Turkish massacre at Harpoot, was introduced at the luncheon, and demonstrated the progress he has made since yesterday in acquiring a knowledge of the English tongue.

Mr. C. P. W. Schwengers tendered a vote of thanks to the two speakers; and during the course of the luncheon Mr. J. O. Dunford delighted the gathering with a song rendered to the accompaniment of Mr. Tom Myers.

Lounge Suits and Bowler Hat Derigueur

LONDON, Oct. 26.—The Prince of Wales has set a new style in the matter of dress and headgear at public receptions to His Royal Highness in connection with his present visit in Scotland.

The leading citizens of Dundee who were to take part in the reception to the Prince today were arranging to wear silk hats and morning coats. Yesterday, however, the Lord Provost of Dundee received a telegram from Admiral Halsey, who is accompanying the Prince on his trip, as follows:

"The Prince of Wales and party are wearing lounge suits and bowler hats tomorrow. We hope all will conform to this."

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London's Tube System Will Be Extended

LONDON, Oct. 26.—Plans for the further extension of the tube system of the London electric railways have been completed and work thereon will be started next month. The extension will provide employment for 30,000 men for two years, and involves an expenditure of £6,000,000.

CANADA'S EXPORT TRADE INCREASES

GROWTH SHOWN IN SHIPMENTS TO U.S. AND BRITAIN

Dominion's Share in Inter-Empire Trade Also Made Substantial Increase

OTTAWA, Oct. 26.—For the year ending September, Canada's trade with the United Kingdom, exports as well as imports, showed a very pronounced increase over that of the period ending September a year ago. This is equally true of trade with the United States.

Exports of Canadian produce to the United Kingdom during the twelve months ended September totalled $337,699,744, as against $311,293,992 for the previous similar period. The principal increases were in agricultural and vegetable products, wood and paper, minerals and chemical products.

Imports from the United Kingdom during the past twelve months rose to $154,563,276, as against $127,434,389 the previous year. Imports of alcoholic beverages increased from $16,662,334 to $17,137,580. Imports of anthracite coal rose from 21,742 tons to 357,972 tons and bituminous coal from 182,637 tons to 668,161 tons.

The most notable decrease was in butter exports to the United Kingdom which were 230,211 pounds, against 2,294,693 pounds during the year ended September, 1922.

Exports to the United States for the twelve months ended September totalled $417,765,452, as against $322,615,780 for the previous twelve months. Exports of whisky, ale and beer increased from $2,781,077 to $5,516,554. Butter exports increased from 2,700,022 pounds to 4,091,544 pounds.

Imports in general from the United States rose from $492,927,011 for the twelve months ended September, 1922, to $614,613,840 for the twelve months ended September, 1923.

Exports in Canada's inter-Empire trade last month exceeded imports by over $12,000,000. Against exports of Canadian produce to twenty-six countries belonging to the British Empire amounting to $27,888,000, Canada imported from these countries goods valued at $15,713,000. Exports to the United Kingdom were $22,000,000, as against $13,477,000 in exports.

South African trade totalled $630,000, of which only nine thousand dollars was for imports. To Australia Canada sent $1,806,000 worth of goods and received from that country $34,500 worth. New Zealand bought Canadian goods to the value of $986,000 and sent to Canada goods valued at $45,000. Canada's exports to Newfoundland were $796,600, as against $89,500 in imports.

On the other hand imports from the Gold Coast amounted to $94,500, as against $4,400 in exports. Exports to British India were $315,800, as against $688,900 in imports. Ceylon sent to Canada $316,400 worth of goods and took from this country goods worth only $28,300.

Canadian Wheat Is Meddled With During Transit Through U.S.

LONDON, Oct. 26.—Lack of direct transportation from the producer in the Dominion to the consumer on this side of the Atlantic is one of the difficulties attending the export of wheat to Great Britain, declared Dr. G. H. Grisdale, Deputy Minister of Agricultural of Canada, in addressing the Canadian Chamber of Commerce here yesterday on "Canadian farm products."

Much of the Canadian wheat passed through United States channels, Dr. Grisdale said, and in transit was meddled with and lost a good deal of its quality while some Americans gained a considerable amount of money. It was possible, he said, that there would be direct transportation for Canadian wheat in the near future.

Dr. Grisdale explained experiments in tobacco growing in Canada and said the Dominion could produce most excellent Virginia leaf. Many pounds of this tobacco came to Great Britain but it was felt that Canadians should be able to ship much more to the Mother Country.

The possibilities in the Dominion for beef production were limitless, Dr. Grisdale said. He emphasized the value of the Canadian bacon industry and the opportunities for trade in bacon in this country. He said that next year Canada would send a larger quantity of bacon to Great Britain that she had sent for some years past.

Plans are being made for a new library at the University of Illinois to cost $750,000.

PROTECTION FOR HOME MARKETS

PREMIER BALDWIN HOLDS FISCAL CHANGE NEEDED

Only Way to Combat Unemployment, He Says, But Bonar Law Pledge Will Be Lived Up To

PLYMOUTH, Eng., Oct. 26.—"I have come to the conclusion myself that the only way to fight this subject (unemployment) is by protecting the home market," declared Premier Baldwin in addressing the Conservative convention yesterday.

"I am not a clever man; I know nothing of political tactics, but I say this, that having come to this conclusion myself, I feel that the only honest and right thing as leader of a democratic party was to tell them at the first opportunity tonight what I thought and submit it to their judgment."

Premier Baldwin struck a note which aroused a meeting of 5,000 party delegates to a high pitch of excitement. Cries of "Good old Baldwin," and prolonged cheers greeted the Premier's declaration that he believed that protection would improve the industrial situation in the country.

The Premier, however, did not indicate any immediate plunge into a new fiscal system. Dealing with Bonor Law's pledge in the last election campaign that no fundamental change could be made in the British fiscal policy during the life of the parliament then about to be elected, Premier Baldwin said:

Binding Pledge

"That pledge binds me and in this parliament there will be no fundamental change. I take those words strictly. I am not a man to play with a pledge, but I can not see myself that any slight extension or adoption of the principle hitherto sanctioned by the legislature are breaches of that pledge, but if at any time I am challenged, I am always willing to take a verdict." (Loud cheers).

"The unemployment problem is a crucial problem for this country. I am willing to fight it but can not fight it without weapons. I have come to the conclusion that if we go on pottering along as we are doing we shall have grave unemployment with us to the end of time.

"The visit of the Dominion premiers had brought to mind the illimitible resources of the Empire. That field must be utilized to the utmost. The government was doing all it could to secure the copious supplies which could only mean cheap supplies for the people of Great Britain.

The British, people were fighting something more difficult today than Germany, namely, poverty and unemployment. To fight against unemployment was vital, and by its result the country would stand or fall. There could be no other peace or happiness until the country had got the better of unemployment. A man without employment was a man without hope or faith. Without hope or faith a man was without love—love of man, home and country. Love was the only power which moved the world to betterment.

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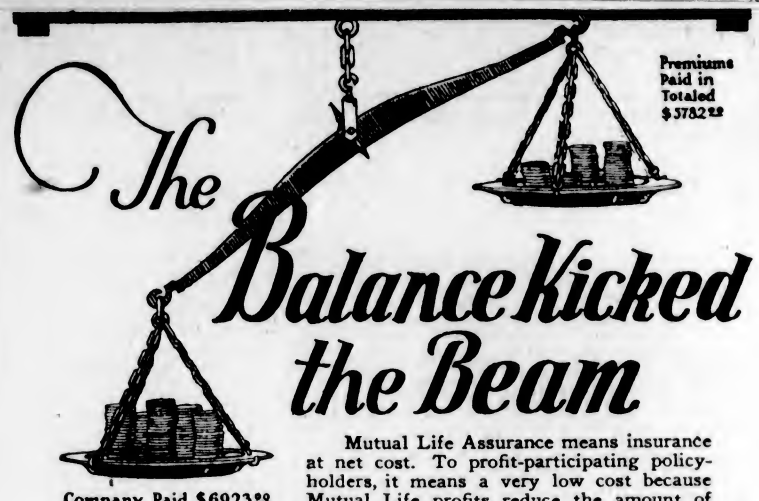

The Balance Kicked the Beam

Mutual Life Assurance means insurance at net cost. To profit-participating policyholders, it means a very low cost because Mutual Life profits reduce the amount of money that must be paid in by the policyholders as premiums.

Here is a case, based on a $10,000, twenty-payment life policy, taken out in 1903 when the policyholder was 35 years of age. At the end of the twenty-year period, he decided to accept the cash value of his policy. He accordingly surrendered the policy and received a cheque from the Mutual Life of Canada for $6,923—$1,141 more than he paid in.

In the 20 years during which the policy had been in force he had paid in as premiums a total of $5,782. That is to say, he received all the money back that he had paid in, and $1,141 besides.

He had enjoyed $10,000 of insurance protection during all these 20 years, the most active period of his business life, and in the final analysis, Mutual Insurance cost him nothing and paid him interest on his money.

If, instead of accepting the cash surrender value of his policy, this policyholder had decided to continue his insurance beyond twenty years, no further premiums would have been required and he would have received a dividend cheque for his profits annually. In addition to this, the cash value of the insurance would have continued to increase, so that the average annual cost of the insurance over the whole period would be counterbalanced more completely every year.

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The Jet Industry

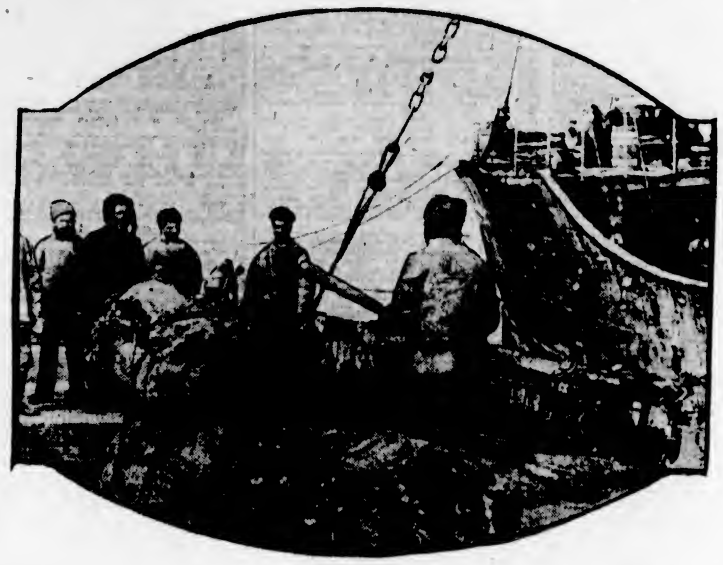
Yet another of the smaller and more picturesque of local industries is reported as approaching extinction. The Whitby jet workers, familiar to holiday-makers on the northeast coast, now number no more than 60 where less than half a century ago they could have been mustered over 2,000 strong. Nearly all of them are old men, and there is no influx of apprentices to a trade which youths and their parents regard as too hazardously dependent on the whim of fashion. Spain, Turkey and America still maintain a fairly steady demand for the real jet ornaments, which easily outvie the cheaper glass imitations of continental production, but for a trade without apprentices the prospect is that within measurable time it will be impossible even to satisfy the demand—Daily Chronicle.

The first wholesale ice cream business was started by Jacob Russell in Baltimore in 1851.

The Colonist's Pictorial Page

Scores were killed and hundreds injured during the Rhineland riots recently. Photograph shows the separatist demonstrators leaving the station at Dusseldorf where they arrived on special trains provided by the French

D. L. McCarthy, prominent member of the Toronto Hunt Club, photographed at the point-to-point races recently.



English and Russians are shown trading cargoes in the waters of the Karsk Sea in the same manner as they did in the middle of the sixteenth century. The Russians are hoisting bundles of hides to the English boat

Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, prime minister of Canada, was met on his way to the imperial and economic conferences in London by the Hon. P. C. Larkin, high commissioner for Canada

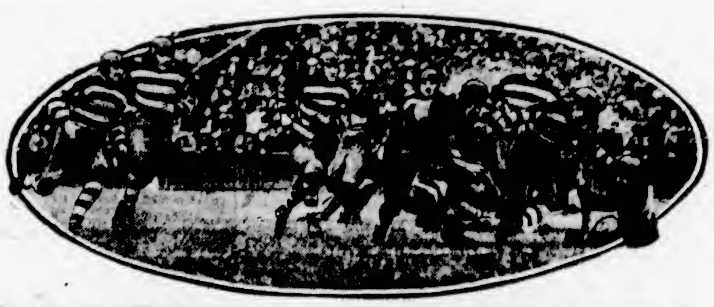
Marie Jeritza, wife of Baron Popper, and famous songbird, has arrived in New York for the winter musical season. Hundreds waited to hear her at her opening performance at the Metropolitan Opera House

A treasure which the Mediterranean has hidden for many centuries is this Greek head carved by the ancients. It was recently recovered in the wreck of a Carthaginian galley off the coast of Tunis

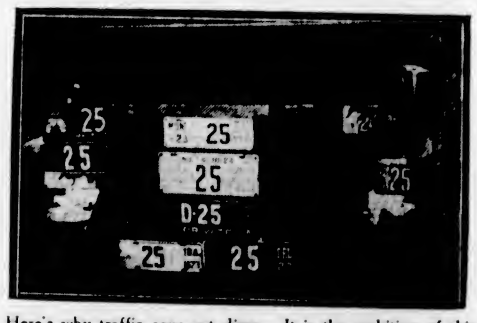
Alderman Sir Edward Cecil Moore, the Lord Mayor of London, will receive a baronetcy on his retirement from the Lord Mayoralty

Fresh from the shores of British East Africa to entertain audiences on this continent in real Congo style comes this dancing Zulu chief, Sakabona Sonki. The chief is showing one of his native steps

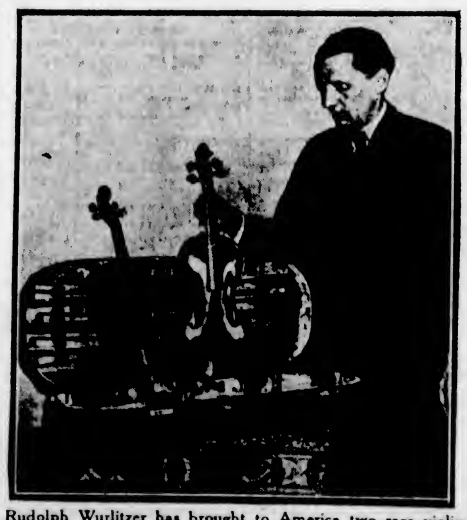
Homeward bound after a good morning's sport during the deer stalking season at Loch Rosque Achnasheen, Ross Shire. The quarry is seen being brought down from the hilltop



The Argonauts of Toronto lead in the inter-provincial football championship as a result of their 17-0 victory over Montreal recently. The photograph shows a scramble for a loose ball



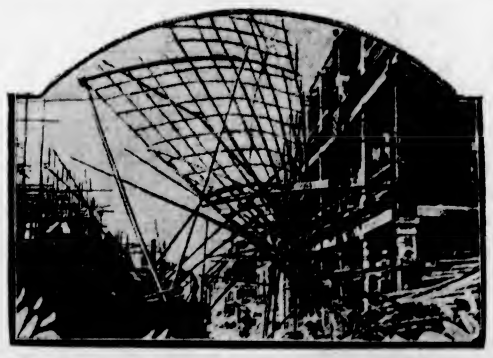
Here's why traffic cops get dizzy. It is the ambition of this American car owner to have his motor decorated by license plates of the same number from every station in the union



Rudolph Wurlitzer has brought to America two rare violins, worth $116,000. One of the instruments is a "Betts" Stradivarius, made in 1704, and the other the "Le Duc' Gaurnerius, made in 1743. The latter is known to have the largest tone of any violin in the world

After decorating Miss Evelyn Garnaud-Smalley, an American woman, for bravery during the war, General Gouraud, military governor of Paris, congratulates her with the the customary kiss

Capt. Cyril Turner, British smoke writer, who recently married Mlle. Andree Peyre, French aviatrix, is now teaching his bride how to write with smoke in the sky



Tremendous material damage was done and many lives lost as the result of the typhoon which swept Hong Kong, China, recently. This remarkable photograph shows the damage to buildings on one of the main streets

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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS

DEATHS

PEARSON—On Oct. 24th, 1923, at the family residence, 15 South Turner St., Edward Pearson, aged 87 years, born in Stockport, England. He leaves to mourn his loss his widow and one niece, Miss Pearson, in the city, also other relatives in England.

The remains are resting at the B.C. Funeral Chapel, whence the funeral will take place on Saturday afternoon at 3:40, proceeding to St. John's Church, where service will be held at 3:45, after which the remains will be forwarded to Vancouver for cremation. No flowers, by request.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS 1

COMMUNITY concert, Armories, Bay St., Saturday, 8:30. Dancing, 5th Regt. orchestra. Admission 15c.

CANADIAN Scottish 500 party commences Wednesday, November 7. Don't forget the date. Same management and same prizes as last year. Learn to play before you come.

GRAND masquerade dance next Tuesday evening, 9 to 1, in Chamber of Commerce Auditorium, auspices of Courts Triumph and Victoria. Ten character prizes and two specials representing Stevenson's Homemade Chocolates. Ton of coal and three other tombola prizes. Tickets $1. Buffet supper. Hunt's orchestra.

NEW Friendship Club dance, Saturday, Oct. 27th, K. of P. Hall, North Park St., 8:30 to 11:30. Ladies 25c, gentlemen 50c. Hunt's 3-piece orchestra.

RUMMAGE sale on Wednesday, October 24, 10 o'clock, on Fort Street, next to Terry's.

ST. MICHAEL'S Church, Royal Oak—The Bishop of Columbia will preach next Sunday morning, October 28th. Divine service will be at 11 o'clock.

THE usual military 500 tonight, 1136 Government Street. 11 scrip prizes. Admission 25 cents. 8:30.

WHIST drive and dance tonight in the Foresters' Hall, Broad Street, at 8:15 prompt. $5 scrip for highest score. Five other good prizes.

WANTED—MALE HELP 2

CANADIAN industrial development offers exceptional opportunities to trained men. Electricians, draftsmen, chemists, structural, mechanical, mining, steam and motor engineers, advertising men, salesmen, accountants find ready employment and good salaries. I.C.S. training qualifies. Free prospectus. International Correspondence Schools Canadian, Limited, Dept. 1855B, Montreal, Canada. Local office, 1222 Douglas St., Victoria, B.C.

COOK for small logging camp, up to ten men. Cameron Lbr. Co., Moody Block, corner Yates and Broad.

CANVASSERS Christian Calendar wanted for all Island. Miss Meigs, 1013 Cook Street, Victoria.

COWMAN wanted; must be good milker and experienced with cows. Apply, giving age and particulars, to Box 4455, Colonist.

COME and inquire about our Earn-as-You-Learn system of training, and our Special Offer to Men who are anxious to learn a good profession. A course in Radio will be given Free to anyone who enrolls on any one of our courses. Now is YOUR chance.

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EXPERIENCED boy for printing works, for press feeding. 502 Union Bank Bldg.

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SALESMAN with car to handle as side line our line of chocolates. Must have good connection and cover entire Island north of Victoria one week; balance of month in Victoria. None but reliable and able to make bond apply. Liberal commissions. Signed by Peggy Duff Candy Co., Vancouver, B.C.

WANTED—Man for farm, near Victoria; live in. Phone 6215R1.

WANTED—MALE HELP 2 (Continued)

SPECIALIZE!—Every great man has become great, every successful man has succeeded in proportion as he has confined his powers to one particular channel. Thousands of Canada's specialists in architecture, advertising, accounting, electrical, mechanical, civil, mining and steam engineering have been trained by the I.C.S. Ask for vocational direction stating work you are interested in. No cost. No obligation. International Correspondence Schools Canadian, Limited, Dept. 1836B, Montreal, Canada. Local office, 1525 Douglas St., Victoria, B.C.

WANTED—A farm hand, married or single; furnished house, with use of chickens, cow, fruit, fuel, and $25 monthly. Box 4611, Colonist.

WANTED—Someone to cut 40 cords of stovewood in Gordon Head. Give price and particulars to Box 4615, Colonist.

WANTED—Youth or man, able to milk and assist few hours each morning. 1061 Beal St., after 5.

WANTED—Reliable youth, light work on small farm, one cow. Box 4537, Colonist.

WANTED—Man to work on farm. Apply E. Sims, Carey Rd. Phone Colquitz 5F.

YOUNG man or strong boy on mixed dairy and poultry farm, board, lodging and wages. Write to Norie Brothers, Cowichan Station, or see Mr. Craig, 500 Fort Street.

100 MEN WANTED to qualify for all branches of Motor-Garage and Electrical work. Highest wages. Earn while you learn plan. Easy work. Before joining elsewhere see the Great Million Dollar Trade School system. 16 branches. Write or call quick for Free Catalogue and list of jobs. Hemphill Auto, Tractor and Electrical School, 1311 Granville Street, Vancouver, B.C., or 304 E. Pike Street, Seattle, Wash., U.S.A. Transportation paid to either school.

WANTED—FEMALE HELP 3

EARN $5 to $55 weekly. The pleasant HOME WORK WAY—Making socks on the fast, easily learned AUTO KNITTER. Experience unnecessary; distance immaterial, positively no canvassing. Particulars, 3c stamp, Dept. 54-C., Auto Knitter Co., Toronto.

GOOD home for girl in exchange for light help. 407 Wilson Street, Victoria West.

WANTED—Cook-general for family of two; must be good cook. Phone for appointment, 1075R1.

WANTED—A lady help. Mrs. Nixon, Wilkinson Road.

WANTED—Young girl for general housework; sleep in. Phone 6667R2.

WANTED—Reliable woman for light housework, small family. Apply Box 4505, Colonist.

WANTED—Middle-aged housekeeper, take full charge four children, November 1st. Apply Box 4464, Colonist.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE 4

ACCOUNTANT and auditor (F.C.A.A., England), will come in for hour or two at any time to write up or audit your books; low terms. Box X. O., Colonist.

HERDSMAN wants job in dairy near Victoria, experienced in milking and feeding cows. Box 4688, Colonist.

MAN with family seeks position as foreman on farm; 26 years' experience with all kinds of stock; can furnish best references and, if necessary, invest capital. Apply Box 4578, Colonist.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE 5

EXPERT stenographer (law experience), well educated, desires position. Phone 4418R.

ENGLISHWOMAN, with son 6½, strong, domesticated, well educated, 5 years' hospital training, desires position in Victoria, small wages, comfortable home chief consideration. Mrs. E. Lewis, 155 25th Avenue E., Vancouver.

EXPERIENCED chauffeuse seeks situation, town or country, well acquainted with Fords and other cars, also running repairs, and would help in house or on farm. Box 4612, Colonist.

RELIABLE person would care for children, or do housework; sleep out. Phone 1575R5.

REFINED Englishwoman, experienced teacher, desires position as daily governess to small children. Box 4514, Colonist.

REFINED woman wants position as companion or assistant; city or Island home; would assist with work; moderate salary. Address Box 4644, Colonist.

TWO English girls want domestic work together, can do plain cooking, one plain sewing. Apply Rhodes, 2750 Scott Ave., Victoria.

WANTED—Position in store or office. Phone G. Kennedy, 4861O.

YOUNG lady, whose home is in Victoria, desires position as bookkeeper, also has knowledge of stenography, ten years' experience, good references. Box 4603, Colonist.

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B.C. DRAMATIC SCHOOL—Your child can enjoy all the social and educational advantages we offer for $15 per annum, $13 per term.

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A VERY desirable 6-room house, in Vancouver, for exchange for Victoria property.

5-ROOM bungalow in city. Owner, now in Nanaimo, will exchange for property in that city. Further particulars, apply

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AN experienced dressmaker; work by the day. Phone 6780L.

CHILDREN'S coats made to order, and fur trimming sets for ladies and children, in white, black, blue and also beadwork a specialty. Phone 6452X5.

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MISCELLANEOUS 10

ABSOLUTELY HIGHEST PRICES PAID for rags, bottles, tools, stoves, or anything else you wish to dispose of. We call anywhere, any time. Phone 5166.

ALLAN is in a position to pay the highest prices for rags, sacks, bottles, tools, old stoves, etc. All orders personally attended to. Wm. Allan, 5555 Rose Street. Phone 6786.

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TO RENT—MISCELLANEOUS 11

GARAGE for Rent—Toronto St., near Menzies. Phone 1610R.

MACHINERY FOR SALE

FOR Sale—Avery gas tractor, 6-16-h.p., in running order, $400 cash. W. Neville-smith, Parksville.

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS 13

AUTUMN and Spring-sown Plants of Broccoli, Cabbage, early and late; Cauliflowers; Kale, Scotch and Thousand-headed; Savoys; Bulbs, choice, plant now. Newly imported from Holland. Crocus, in 4 sorts; Hyacinths, in 7 sorts; Iris, Spanish, mixed; Narcissus, in 8 sort; Tulips, early, in 3 sorts; Tulips, Darwins, in 5 sorts, Tulips, May flowering, in 4 sorts; Bulbs, home grown, in variety, cheaper. Herbaceous and Rock Plants in choice variety, per doz., 10c or 1,000. Roses, very fine Dwarfs, Climbers and Standards. Apples, Pears, Plums, Cherries, Rasps, Logans, Blackberries, Strawberries, Lavender, Rosemary, Gypsophilas, Pansies, Pinks, Carnations, Forget-me-nots, etc. Prices according to quantity and quality taken. Inquiries invited. James Simpson, 611 Superior, Victoria, B.C., Canada.

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APPLES OVERSEAS—40-lb. boxes of B.C. apples, charges paid to destination anywhere in Great Britain. Phone Dan Poupard, 2521, for prices.

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BARGAINS in good clean carpets and rugs for sale. Carpeteria Co., 521 Fort. Phone 1465.

BULBS—Our bulbs this year are all first quality. Secure yours while the supply lasts.

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BABY buggies, cheapest in city. New or good second-hand. Repairs, new hoods. Brown, 803 Hereward Road, Victoria W.

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FOR Sale—Shotgun, 12-gauge, hammerless, d.b., $35; rifle, .22 cal., $6, rifle, 38-55, $22.50; postcard Kodak, $10; prism glasses, $12.60; marine telescope, $3.60, boat spirit compass, $7.60; pocket watch compasses, $3.50, sample suitcases, $1.75; real leather valises, $9.60; leather gloves, 50c; playing cards, 35c; boy's bicycle, $8.60; new racer tires, $1.26; English oil lamps, $1.36; spectacles to fit any sight, from 25c. Jacob Aaronson's New and Secondhand Store, 661 Johnson St., 4 doors below Government St. Phone 746.

FOR Sale—Fur coats. Arrangements can be made for weekly or monthly payments at The Famous Store, Ltd., 751 Yates Street.

FOR Sale—Cabinet phonograph, oak, good as new. Cost $200. Sell for $100. Phone 7224L.

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FUMED oak library table, good as new. Snap at $9. Oddy's, 1815-17 Douglas St.

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS 13 (Continued)

GOOD player-piano, with 200 rolls good music; $285. Call evenings, 1785 Foul Bay Road.

HEATERS — Closing out entire stock; cheapest in city. Eastern Stoves, 616 Fort.

HAVE your furnace pipes renewed by B.C. Hardware. Phone 82.

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UPHOLSTERED tapestry arm chair. A snap, $14.50. Oddy's, 1615-17 Douglas Street.

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WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS 14

A Better Price Is Assured for GENTS' AND LADIES' DISCARDED CLOTHING of the Better Sort by Phoning 6410 or call 653 Fort Street

ABSOLUTELY Best High-Class Discarded CLOTHING
Bought and Sold at
MRS. JOWITT'S, 621 Fort. Phone 5166.
Special Offers for Gents' Clothing.

A RANGE, must be in good order. Box 4581, Colonist.

BEST prices paid for ladies', gentlemen's and children's good-class clothing, household linen, etc.
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CASH paid for shotguns, tools and old jewelry, etc., at Jacob Aaronson's Second-hand Store, 661 Johnson St. Phone 746.

DON'T hesitate—Phone 3408 if you have any furniture you wish to dispose of. Our representative will call and offer current prices. Island Exchange, 769 Fort St.

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WANTED to purchase—Furniture to any amount. 810 Pandora Ave.

WANTED—Piano, must be in good condition and cheap for cash. Box 4404, Colonist.

WANTED—Night watchman's clock, in good order. Phone 1366, Victoria Junk Agency.

WANTED to purchase, or for sale on commission, antique furniture, silver, etc. Woollett, phone 615.

ROOM AND BOARD 15

ABERDEEN HOTEL—Private boarding house, 641 McClure Street. Under new management. Hot and cold water in bedrooms. White cooking a specialty. Phone 1014.

A NICE home and good board for one or two respectable young men, close in. Phone 5016R.

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BACHELOR suites, bedroom, sitting-room; board; close in; moderate. 646 Simcoe St. 2666R.

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GOOD room and board for men; every home comfort. Phone 3254R.

NICELY furnished rooms, every comfort; Winter rates; Fairfield. Phone 1612L.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO RENT 18

COMFORTABLE furnished room in private home, semi-bungalow; or would rent upper part of house unfurnished; Bank St., one minute car. Phone 1641X.

CLEAN furnished housekeeping rooms, flat, cabin; $6 per month and up. 1066 Hillside Avenue.

HOUSEKEEPING and single rooms, gas, near Government Building. 450 Quebec Street.

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NEAR James Bay Hotel—Select rooms, running water, gas, furnace. Phone 1352.

FURNISHED ROOMS TO RENT 18 (Continued)

NICELY furnished room, in private home, close in. 352 Caledonia Avenue.

TWO nice bedrooms in modern block, central; elevator, phone and steam heat. Very moderate rental. Phone 6600.

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HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS TO RENT 19

AT 528 Michigan Street — Furnished housekeeping rooms, heated and reasonable. Phone 2414Y.

DELHI HOTEL—Housekeeping and single rooms. 617 Yates St. Mrs. Shatton.

FURNISHED for housekeeping—2 or 3-room suites, coal range and gas, adults, close in. 5552L, 12 to 2 or after 6.

FURNISHED rooms, all conveniences. 1031 Pandora Avenue.

FURNISHED housekeeping rooms with gas (half block from Spencer's). 733 View St.

FURNISHED housekeeping and single rooms. Fairfield Hotel, opposite City Hall.

FURNISHED housekeeping rooms, close in; all conveniences. 1806 Blanshard. 2424X.

GROUND floor—Housekeeping rooms, coal range, gas, every convenience; close in. Phone 2576R.

HOUSEKEEPING rooms, electric light, hot and cold water, steam heat, gas, elevator service, $8 to $15 per month. The Griffith Co., Ltd., Hibben-Bone Bldg. Phone 1462.

HOVE LODGE — Housekeeping rooms. Children not objected. Phone 7855O. 118 Michigan Street.

HOUSEKEEPING rooms, suites, fully modern, quiet, comfortable, select. Ritz Hotel, Fort St. Phone 61, 55.

SUITES or single rooms, gas for cooking, every convenience. Phone 6694L.

SUITES or single rooms, gas, every convenience. Apply 813 Cook Street.

FLATS AND APARTMENTS TO RENT 21

A THREE-ROOM furnished flat, 646 Simcoe, near Douglas. Comfortable, moderate. 2666R.

AT Le Roy Apartments—Completely furnished 3 and 5-room suites. 505 Montreal.

A 5-ROOM unfurnished apartment at Hampton Court. Phone 608.

AT Normandie Apartments—Furnished or unfurnished suite to rent.

ATTRACTIVE, furnished, heated suite; walking distance and near car. 466 Chester, Fairfield.

APARTMENT to Let, McDonald Block, Oak Bay Junction. Phone 4083R, in mornings.

ALANDALE Apartments, Linden Avenue. 416 Sayward Bldg. Phone 5088.

BELLEVUE Court, near beach and Oak Bay Hotel; beautiful view—Furnished three-room suite, bathroom, balcony, steam heat. Phone 2765.

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MODERN three-roomed apartment, Juno St., $11 month, including water. Phone 5586R.

NICELY furnished flat in private house; high position, lovely view. Phone 4568R1.

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ST. Helens Apartments, 824 Courtney St. (opposite Cathedral). Housekeeping rooms, single and en suite; bedrooms. Phone 6861O.

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THE Kensington, 915½ Pandora Avenue—Furnished suite for rent. Phone 6406O. Adults only.

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UNFURNISHED three-roomed suite, bath, etc., coal and wood range, gas, fireplace, private entrance, close in. 451 Superior St. Apply 348 Michigan St.

WALKING distance from city—Well furnished 5-roomed suite, every convenience; separate entrance. Phone 5416X.

4-ROOMED comfortably furnished flat, with garage, $35; 5-roomed modern, unfurnished flat, $25. A. S. Barton, 111 Pemberton Bldg. Phone 5801.

1507 CHAMBERS ST.—Furnished apartments, first or second floor; 4 rooms, two toilets. Apply within.

WANTED TO RENT—FLATS AND APARTMENTS 22

WANTED—By business man and wife, completely furnished suite of 4 or 6 rooms, walking distance. Particulars to Box 4622, Colonist.

WANTED—Small furnished flat or house, for two adults, moderate rent. Box 4616, Colonist.

TO RENT—HOUSES 23

A THREE-ROOMED cottage. Apply to D. Fraser, Colonist Office. Phone 11 or 1521R.

CLOSE IN—Strictly modern, 6 rooms. Sell part furniture (optional). Phone 1862.

FOR Rent—Small house, partially furnished. 5292 Pine St., off Cloverdale. Phone 6924R2.

FOUR-ROOM house, with 4½ acres, inside 3½-mile circle. F. F. Biggs, Albert Head.

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HOUSES, furnished and unfurnished, for rent and for sale on easy terms. Lloyd-Young & Russell, 1012 Broad Street. Phone 4632.

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MODERN 6-room house, clean, in good condition. 1524 Pembroke Street. $16.

SIX-ROOMED house, Quebec Street, in good repair, $15 month. Phone 2285R.

TO Rent, $15—2640 Shelbourne, 7 rooms, modern, cement basement. Phone 6110L.

TO Let—6-room modern dwelling, Victoria West, rent $20 per month. Phone 1888.

TO Rent—2856 Cedar Hill Road—6-roomed house, large garden. Also 2645 Scott Street, 4-roomed cottage.

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WALNUT, near Fernwood and High School, 7 rooms, partly furnished, $16. Johnson Street, 6 rooms, $20. Mason Street, 5 rooms, $11.60. Regent St., 5 rooms, $14.50. Oak Bay Ave., 6 rooms, $30. Cadboro Bay, 7 rooms, fully modern, high location, acre garden, $46. Deal St., Oak Bay, 7 rooms, $46. McGregor St., 8 rooms, hot water heat, $36. Alfred Carmichael & Co., Limited, 624 Fort Street.

4-ROOM clean modern bungalow, large garden, nice location. 3150 Shelbourne, near Hillside.

1260 McKENZIE St., 7 rooms, $35. 535 Agnes St., 4 rooms, $12.60. 642 Cornwall St., 6 rooms, $20. 2926 Fifth St., 4 rooms, $12.50. 1361 Carlin St., 7 rooms, $25. 302 Burnside Rd., 5 rooms, $21.60. 2117 Victor St., 6 rooms, $20. 1109 Hillside, 5 rooms, $12.50. 5-room apartments, $11. Also $15 Courtney St., 4 rooms, furnished, $25. Dunford's Ltd., 524 Pemberton Bldg.

9-ROOMED house, in good condition, garage, close in; suitable for two families. Low rent. Phone 6758.

5-ROOMED modern house to rent, $15 month. Apply 1726 Fourth St.

WANTED TO RENT—HOUSES 24

WANTED, at once—Four or five-roomed house, furnished or unfurnished, near Tillicum School; must be cheap and modern. Apply Box 5521, Colonist.

TO RENT—FURNISHED HOUSES 26

A RESPONSIBLE party can have furnished house and all farming implements, stock and outbuildings free for Winter months. Box 4668, Colonist.

A COSY furnished cottage of 4 rooms, close to St. Margaret's School, $36. 1609 Gladstone Ave., corner Shakespeare.

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A FURNISHED 2-roomed house, 1018 Burdett Ave., all conveniences, piano. Rent $35.

COMFORTABLE 4-roomed bungalow, fully furnished; immediate possession; $22.60 per month. Swinerton & Musgrave, 640 Fort Street.

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TO BE LET

DRAWING-ROOM, sitting-room, dining-room, hall and cloak-room, 6 bedrooms, maids' room; 4 bathrooms; large basement; hot water heating. Tennis lawn, kitchen garden, orchard. Two hundred and fifty feet waterfrontage. Garage for two cars.

Apply for appointment to inspect premises to

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FAIRFIELD—7 rooms, fully furnished, furnace, garage; close in, $60. Also 5 and 6-roomed modern bungalows. Bagshawe & Co.

MODERN six-roomed furnished house, with furnace; Belcher St.; $60 month. Phone 2285R.

OAK BAY bungalow, $35; Oak Bay residence, $125; near Pemberton Road, $76. G. C. Howell, 153 Pemberton Bldg. Phone 7668.

UPPER part private house, sunny, self-contained, very clean, piano. Phone 3086R.

3-ROOM furnished cottage, 1150 Vancouver Street.

8-ROOMED fully furnished house, central, near car. Apply K. M. R., phone 6326.

3-ROOM cottage, furnished complete, including crockery, cutlery, bedding, etc.; modern; low rent to careful tenant for Winter months. Phone 6854L. Foul Bay.

POULTRY AND LIVESTOCK 27

AT BIRD AND PET SHOP

PEKINESE PUPPIES, good, small specimens. Very flat faces.

A new shipment of bird and parrot cages just arrived.

1314 Government St. Phone 656

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ENGLISH setter, 7 months old, pedigreed. Phone 2451.

FOR Sale—Purebred Guernsey cow, rich milker, four gallons, fresh November, third calf. Phone 6452L1.

FOR Sale—Roller canaries, registered stock, reasonable. 807 Government St.

FOR Sale—2 saddle horses. Apply Bullen, phone Belmont 561.

FOR Sale—White Rock yearling hens, pullets and cockerels. Phone 8871L.

FOR Sale—One horse, weight about 1,000. Phone Belmont 28R.

FOR Sale—Two Toulouse geese, heavy layers, and one gander, $15. Phone 10R4. A. Ernst, Cobble Hill.

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WANTED—Gun dog, spaniel or retriever preferred, young dog. Particulars to P.O. Drawer 636, Victoria.

WANTED to buy—Young buck goat, cheap. Box 4542, Colonist.

AUTOMOBILES 28

TODAY WE START A CLEAR-OUT

HUPMOBILE ROADSTER, model 32, with starter and in excellent running order. A snap $295

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FOR Sale, cheap—Ford light delivery. Phone 7469R1.

FOR Sale—Late 1921 model Ford touring car; has four good cord tires and spare with cover, Hassler shock absorbers, and other extras. Looks and runs like a new car. Owner leaving city and will sell for $400 cash. Phone 6535L.

AUTOMOBILES 28 (Continued)

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McLAUGHLIN 4, in perfect condition; 5 good tires. A bargain at $550

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ON large lot, in sunny position on splendid corner in Oak Bay. Contains sunroom; living-room, 18x21, with fireplace, oak floor; dining-room with china cupboards, oak floor; two spacious and one medium bedroom, ample closets; Dutch kitchen, all latest shelving and conveniences; laundry room with tubs; fine bathroom and linen closet. Concrete basement and furnace. Quality finish throughout. Price and terms on application to Alfred Carmichael & Co., Ltd., 624 Fort Street.

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SOUTHWEST CORNER OF HOWE AND CHAPMAN STREETS, Fairfield district—1½-story bungalow of seven rooms, with every modern convenience. It has entrance hall, living-room with large open fireplace, sliding doors to dining-room, which is panelled and has attractive built-in buffet; pass pantry, with built-in cupboards and bins; kitchen; four bedrooms with clothes closets off each; bathroom, etc. Full cement basement, furnace and laundry tubs. Garage.

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WE can offer you a genuine bargain in a well-built semi-bungalow in a secluded part of Oak Bay Municipality, with good street car facilities. This home, which is only about eight years old, has all the modern conveniences, including cement basement and good hot air furnace. There is also a barn which makes a good garage or chicken house. Fine level lot, 50 ft. x 139 ft., all fenced, and contains several large oak shade trees. (The lot next can be secured for little more than the taxes owing.) Taxes less than $10 a year. A few dollars spent on redecorating the interior would put the premises in first-class condition. Besides making a desirable home, this is a chance for a handsome turnover in the near future. $600 cash will handle, and the balance can remain on mortgage at the current rate of interest. Upon inspection you will agree that this is a gift at ONLY
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HOUSES FOR SALE

MOSS STREET—High position, close to sea and car line. A thoroughly modern house containing 6 rooms, with 3 bedrooms; basement cemented, wash tubs, hot air furnace. Sitting-room and dining-room with open fireplace. Well-arranged kitchen and pantry. Excellent garden with bearing fruit trees and small fruits. Owner will entertain any reasonable offer.

HEYWOOD AVENUE—Facing the park. A bungalow of 6 rooms; concrete basement and foundations, hot air furnace; 3 good bedrooms. Excellent floors. This bungalow is in first-class condition. Price $3,600.

ST. PATRICK STREET—Close to Oak Bay Avenue. Modern 7-room house of bungalow design. Three bedrooms and large trunk-room; dining-room with built-in buffet and open fireplace; pleasant living-room; den with built-in bookcases, beam ceilings and panelled walls, two bedrooms, with bathroom, on ground floor. Concrete basement, hot air furnace, wash tubs, etc. Price $5,760.

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OAK BAY—6 large beautiful rooms, on one of the best streets; built-in features throughout, furnace, fireplace, laundry tubs. Nice lawn, flower and kitchen garden. Reduced to $5,750. Punnett, 112 Pemberton Block.

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$6000—EIGHT-ROOMED residence, all modern conveniences and hot water heated, and 4½ ACRES of good soil. Fine garden, lovely shrubs and ornamental trees; orchard and any quantity of small fruits. Barn, fowl houses and other outbuildings.
Ask for particulars.

OAK BAY BUNGALOW

$2500—NEAT modern bungalow, few minutes' walk from beach and school, close to golf links. Vestibule hall, living-room with open fireplace, two bedrooms, three-piece bathroom, kitchen, separate pantry, enclosed back porch, basement, wash tubs. Big lot, all in garden, small fruits; chicken house; lawn in front; cement sidewalks.
Terms arranged.

$2300—CLOSE-IN bungalow. A nice little home of 5 rooms. Living-room, dining-room, kitchen, two bedrooms and bathroom; all in good condition. Nice lot and garage. Situated on a good street in easy walking distance. Let us show you this home and you will admit it's a bargain.
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$2400—NEW BUNGALOW, never occupied, with fine half-acre cultivated garden and fruit; nice high location, mile and half circle; very reasonable terms.

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HOMES OUR SPECIALTY

5-ROOM modern bungalow, situate in the best part of Fairfield. Cement basement, furnace, laundry tubs. Dining-room, open fire; living-room, large kitchen and pantry, reception hall, 2 bedrooms. Large garden and lawn. Price, with 2 large lots, $3,600.

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OAK BAY BUNGALOW

6 ROOMS, 3 bedrooms, living-room, dining-room and kitchen; sleeping porch; open fireplace in the living-room; hardwood floors; furnace; full cement basement. Not far from beach or car. Price $4,100, on terms.

SEVEN-ROOMED DWELLING, large lot, beautifully located; well built home; in choice part of Oak Bay, with fine view, facing sea. We would be pleased to show this house to anyone desiring such a piece, and feel sure they won't consider it a bargain at the price of $4,200.

FAIRFIELD

FULLY MODERN EIGHT-ROOMED HOUSE, four bedrooms, large and airy, with good clothes closets; living-room with large open fireplace, dining-room with panelled walls, built-in buffet and open fireplace; den is beamed and panelled, also has large open brick fireplace. Also bright kitchen with good pantry, which has cooler, bins and cupboards. Full sized cement basement with furnace and laundry tubs. This is really a beautiful home and has a wonderful view. The house stands on four large level lots, in lawn, garden and flowers, also several fruit trees and all kinds of small fruits. The whole property has been kept in the very finest condition. For sale at a sacrifice.

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HARRY AMPHLETT
212 Union Bank Building Phone 3000

THREE SPECIALS

$1500—MODERN 6-room home, Fernwood district, close to car and school, taxes light; rents $20 month.

$2300—NEW 4-room bungalow, North Quadra district; nice plumbing, full basement, fruit trees, good outbuildings.

$3300—6-ROOM cottage, all modern, overlooking park; new hot air furnace; close to car and school.

E. E. HEATH
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$4000—NEAR ST. MARGARET'S—Choice bungalow of 8 rooms; lovely lawns and gardens; ideal location. Only a MISER would dare question the price after seeing through.

$1300 CASH gives clear title to six-roomed house, near High School. Cement foundations, basement, Hall, polished floors. Wood shed, chicken run; fruit trees. Or would sell for $1,600, on terms.

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COST $12,000—OFFERED FOR $8,800

FAIRFIELD home of imposing appearance of 8 rooms, with hot water heating system, situated on double lot, in high part near the park and beach, though sheltered from prevailing winds.

This home consists of large reception hall; double living-room with inglenook fireplace, beamed and panelled dining-room, with buffet and fireplace; pass pantry, kitchen and conservatory on the first floor.

There is a front and rear stairway with large landing; four splendid bedrooms, one with double closets and one with open porch; bathroom and toilet separate (upstairs). There is also a stairway leading to the attic, where there is accommodation for two more rooms. The basement is of concrete, and has second toilet and wash trays. Price now $8,800. Terms can be arranged.

$1100—BEACH DRIVE, Oak Bay, near golf links and hotel. Splendid building lot, fine view, 63 feet front.

$750—BEACH DRIVE, Oak Bay, corner near Willows Beach, 55 by 140 feet.

ST. DAVID STREET—Two fine lots, oak trees. Offer wanted.

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PRICE $3,800.
Situation: Oak Bay, select part. Bungalow, 5 large artistic rooms; built-in features, beaming and panelling, fireplace, furnace, laundry tubs. It is worth much more. Ensel, 112 Pemberton Blk. Phone 3537.

HERE'S YOUR CHANCE

$2300—7-ROOMED well-built house; 3 bedrooms upstairs, living-room with fireplace; 3-piece bathroom; basement. Lot 75x133, full of fruit. Garage. All in good condition. Gorge district, high position. BAGSHAWE & CO.

HOUSES BUILT ON INSTALMENT PLAN. MODERN HOMES FOR SALE ON EASY TERMS
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WANTED TO BUY—HOUSES 40

I HAVE clients now in the market for low-priced homes in the city and district. Send in your listings. J. R. LIVSEY, successor to Grant & Lineham, Ltd., 1308 Douglas. Tel. 334.

WANTED from owner—Attractive house, 4 bedrooms; good locality. Not to exceed $5,000. Must be a bargain. Immediate. Box 4551, Colonist.

WANTED, from owners only, 5 to 8-room bungalow or house, in Fairfield or city; close-in place preferred; must be strictly modern. Will pay cash. Write full particulars. Buyer, Box 4344, Colonist.

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AT SIDNEY—Close to stores, schools, churches, etc.—5 acres, all of which have been under cultivation, together with a 4-room dwelling, with well; city water within a block; electric light. Small stable. Property is fenced. $2,800. Terms.

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AT ELK LAKE—5.61 acres, just off main East Saanich highway. Has a nice eastern slope, with excellent view of the sea. Soil is light and very well adapted for small fruits and chickens. $1,000. Terms.

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ABOUT 8 acres of land, some cleared, balance is wooded, with all the underbrush and small growth cleared up.

A new modern house of 7 rooms, with all the most up-to-date fixtures throughout.

Garage, barn, poultry houses and other outbuildings.

The price includes furniture, except some odd pieces.

This property is well situated, commanding a splendid view, and is a gift at the price of
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Real Estate, Financial and Insurance Agents
625 Fort Street Victoria, B.C.

A FINE Ranch Property of 325 acres, beautifully situated on main road and railway, 13 miles from Victoria. City water, telephone, and stage service to property. Land part cleared and part fenced, some buildings; also good garden and fruit trees. This is a bargain at $30 an acre. A. Cash, R.R. 1, Victoria, B.C.

FIVE-ACRE RANCH—Easy Terms

NEAR Wilkinson Station, less than five miles out. Neat four-room cottage; large barn and chicken houses. Two acres in garden, various kinds of fruits. Excellent soil. Genuine bargain for $2,600. Terms: $500 cash, balance twenty dollars monthly.
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WILKINSON ROAD Section—4 acres of rich valley land, together with pretty bungalow (almost new), city water piped to home. Good outbuildings. Over half cleared and in large and small fruits; balance very easy clearing. Property is a beautiful piece of land, with winding stream crossing it. Land slopes to south. Total price $3,600; easy terms. Immediate possession. Victoria Realty Co., 216-17 Central Bldg. Phone 3033.

ACREAGE FOR SALE 42
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6 MILES FROM CITY, PAVED ROADS. 6¼ acres garden, black bottom land, and hillside with southern exposure; 4 acres in cultivation, balance timber and pasture. New 6-room bungalow, FULLY FURNISHED. Fruits of all kinds, unlimited water, outbuildings. Price $3,800.

57 ACRES GOOD SOIL, ON SEA FRONT —10 acres bottom land, cultivated, and 55 acres more of slashed alder bottom, very easily got ready for plough, balance red loam, logged off. A new 7-room house, barn, 30 by 33, and several outbuildings, garden, orchard and small fruit; 4 cows and 30 sheep, hay, etc. A going concern. Price $4,000, terms.

OKANAGAN LAKE—30-acre dairy and truck farm. Fine residence and buildings. Trade for Vancouver Island farm, value $12,000.

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104 Pemberton Bldg. Phone 7596

PROPERTY FOR SALE 44

GORGE property for sale, on easy terms. This property runs from the Gorge Road to the water; 160 feet of waterfrontage and 168 feet from city boundary, in Saanich district. Phone 3078R.

OAK BAY SNAPS

$400 — BOWKER AVENUE, only three lots from waterfront. 70x143 ft. level lot.

$450—ST. LOUIS STREET—3 lots, each 55x113 ft.

$1100—BEACH DRIVE, near golf links and hotel. 50 ft. front.

LEEMING BROS., LTD.
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$6250—A MOST comfortable, modern residence, standing in 3 acres of land, with good open view, containing 5 sitting-rooms with open fireplaces, hall, kitchen, pantry, lavatory, 4 large and 3 small bedrooms, with h. and c. wash basins; bathroom, toilet; cement basement; central heating and electric light throughout; very pretty garden; garage, close to golf and tennis clubs.
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FARMS WANTED 46

WANTED to Rent—A fair sized farm, between Duncan and Ladysmith; good water and buildings, with or without option to purchase. Box 3312, Colonist.

WILL purchase fruit and chicken ranch, near sea, within 20 miles Victoria. Box 4462, Colonist.

FARMS FOR SALE 47

FOR Rent or Sale, Cheap—Small farm, 67½ acres, near Parsons Bridge, 6 miles from Victoria; all fenced, 13 acres under cultivation; 5-roomed cottage and outbuildings, with abundance of water. A. T. Peatt, Colwood P.O. Phone Belmont 6.

FARMS FOR RENT 48

FOR Rent—Fully equipped farm at Nanoose Bay; stock, equipment and crops to be taken at valuation. Fuller particulars, E. J. Marks, Nanoose Bay.

MONEY TO LOAN 52

IN sums ranging from $600 to $20,000, on improved farm and city property. Apply P. R. Brown & Sons, 1112 Broad Street.

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THE Holland Canada Mortgage Company has money to loan in sums from $1,000 to $4,000 on approved residential property in Victoria. Agreements for sale and mortgages purchased. Apply Dunlop & Foot, Barristers, 616 Sayward Building.

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Motorist Guilty

HALIFAX, Oct. 26.—Harry Gardiner was found guilty of manslaughter by a jury here yesterday in connection with the death of Gertrude Bonar, a little girl who was run over by Gardiner's automobile.

Finance and Commerce

FOREIGN NEWS THE CHIEF PRICE FACTOR

New York Bonds Early Responded to European Advices, But Later Eased Off Somewhat

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—After opening higher in reflection of the improved sentiment which followed publication of the Hughes-Curzon exchange on the subject of reparations, bond prices slumped in later trading in today's market.

While there was no great demand at any time during the day for foreign government bonds, some of those issues improved fractionally and the undertone was rather firm. A few South American issues sold off slightly.

Buying of United States Government bonds continued, but advances were moderate, an dthe tax-exempt 3½'s and treasury 4¼'s fell off slightly.

Stock prices continued to melt away in today's quiet stock market with the average of twenty leading industrials sinking to a new low level for the year.

The so-called pivotal stocks again held relatively firm, but sporadic selling pressure broke out in the tobaccos, sugars, rubbers and certain specialties, many of which broke through their previous low prices of the year.

Cabled reports that France, Belgium and Italy had accepted, with reservations, Lord Curzon's proposal for a reparations conference failed to stimulate to trading in stocks, but brought about a sharp recovery in foreign exchanges. Demand sterling advanced 2⅝c to $4.50; buying of these bills also being influenced by Premier Baldwin's denial that an inflationary policy had or would be considered.

French francs advanced 16½ points to 5.93c, Belgian francs moved up 17½ points to 5.13c and German marks sold as high as 1.6 cents a billion, or just double the rate quoted earlier in the day.

NEW YORK EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—Sterling exchange firm at $4.47½ for sixty-day bills, $4.49⅝ for demand. Foreign bar silver, 63⅝.

Canadian dollars, 98⅝.
France, demand, 5.90.
Lire, demand, 4.55½.
Belgium—Demand, 5.13; cables, 5.13½.
Germany — Demand, .0000000011; cables, .0000000011.
Holland — Demand, 38.85; cables, 38.95.
Norway—Demand, 15.37.
Sweden—Demand, 26.55.
Denmark—Demand, 17.57.
Switzerland—Demand, 17.84.
Spain—Demand, 13.57.
Greece—Demand, 1.60.
Poland—Demand, .0000⅝.
Czecho-Slovakia—Demand, 2.95½.
Jugo-Slavia—Demand, 1.18.
Austria—Demand, .0014.
Roumania—Demand, .47½.
Argentina—Demand, 32.20.
Brazil—Demand, 9.40.

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Goodrich (B. F.)	18	18-1	10
Granby	19	15-4	12-4
Gt. Northern, pfd.	52-4	51-1	52
Gulf States Steel	74	71-6	72-4
Inspiration Copper	24-1	29-5	24
Int. Comb. Eng.	51-6	51-3	21-6
Int'l Nickel	10-3	16-4	10-4
Int'l Mer. Mar.	6-6	6-5	6-5
Int'l Mer. Mar., pfd.	27-5	26-6	27
Kelly Springfield	22	21-7	51-7
Kennecott Copper	30-2	29-5	29-7
Kan. City Southern	16-1	16-3	16-2
Lehigh Valley	56-5	58-0	56-3
Lima	65	63-6	64-4
Max Motor "B"	12-3	12-3	15-5
Miami Copper	21-4	21-3	21-3
National Lead	115-6	114-6	115-5
N.Y., N.H. & Hart.	11-5	11-5	11-5
New York Central	100-4	59-7	100
Northern Pacific	50-0	50-3	50-2
Nev. Cons. Copper	10	9-4	9-4
Pen "A"	55-5	54-1	54-0
Pan "B"	59-3	51-2	51-4
Pacific Oil	96-7	56-4	36-5
Prod. & Refiners	30-7	20-3	20-9
Pennsylvania R.R.	41-6	41-5	41-5
People's Gas	61-5	60-4	61
Phillips Pete	29-2	93-6	52-7
Pressed Steel Car	48	45	46
Reading	74-4	75-3	75-5
Ry. Steel Spring	106	106	100
Ray Cons. Mining	11-3	11-3	11-3
Repogle Steel	8	9	5
Republic Steel	42-5	45-3	42-2
Royal Dutch	45-5	46	46-1
Southern Pacific	89-5	84-5	85
Southern Ry., com.	95-3	99	52-1
Stromburg	63-1	63-1	68-1
Studebaker Corpn.	57-1	65-1	95-6
Stan. Oil, Indiana	55-1	55-1	55-1
The Texas Co.	40-1	55-3	39-6
Tex. P. Coal & Oil	6-5	6	6-1
Timken Roller Bear	35-4	39-4	35-4
Tob. Prod.	56-4	54-7	55
Union Pacific	128-5	127-4	127-4
Utah Copper	56	55-5	56
U. S. Ind. Alcohol	51-5	50-4	50-4
U. S. Rubber	91-7	90-5	51
U. S. Steel, com.	87-6	86-6	87
Wabash R.R., "A"	30-6	50-5	30-5
Woolworth	276-5	275	276
Willys-Overland	7	6-6	6-6
Westinghouse Elec.	57	56-1	56-1
Allied Chem. & Dye	69-3	65-1	62-1
Am. Ship & Comm.	10-6	10-6	10-3
Coca Cola	70-1	66-1	66-7
Chic. & N.W. Ry.	56-1	59-7	56
Keystone T. & R. Co.	2	5	2
Nat. Enamel	36-5	39	39-2
Pere Marquette	40	39-4	59-4
Endicott Johnson	60-5	60-9	60-6
Trans. Oil	1-4	1-1	1-3
Invincible Oil	6-2	6-1	6-3
White Motors	46-5	48-2	46-5
Pullman Co.	115-7	115-7	115-7
Bosch Cor	24-4	54-4	24-4
Chandler Motors	45-4	45-4	45-4
Houston Oil	49	49	49
Cuban Cane Sugar	10-5	10-2	10-2
Stan Oil of Cal.	51-3	50-7	51
Vanadium	27-5	27-4	27-4
Middlestates Oil	5	4-7	5
Texas Gulf Sulphur	57-7	56	56-9
Montgomery Ward	22-4	22-5	29-4
Midvale Steel	24-7	51-7	21-7
Pure Oil	17-1	17-1	17-1
Mexican Seaboard	5-4	5-9	5-4

VICTORIA EXCHANGE

Mining

	Bid	Asked
Boundary Red Mountain	.19	.29
Bowens Copper	..	.10
Cons. M. & S.	25.50	25.50
Cork Province	.06	..
Douglas Channel	.01½	.02
Dunwell Mines	.08	..
Granby	12.50	15.00
Hazelton Gold Cobalt	..	.09
Howe Sound	2.50	2.95
International Coal	.12	..
Liberator Mining Co.	..	.56
McGillivray Coal	.68	..
Premier Mines	2.00	2.75
Rambler-Cariboo	.55	..
Sheep Creek Consolidated	..	.00¾
Silver Crest Mines	..	.02
Silversmith	.24	.26
Snug Cove Copper	..	.05
Standard Silver Lead	.10	..
Sunloch Mines	.10	..
Surf Inlet Gold	..	.22
Alualle	..	.46
B. C. Silver	.74	..

Oils

	Bid	Asked
Athabasca Oil	..	.05
Boundary Bay Oil	..	.00 1-16
Empire Oil	..	.00¾
Southern Alberta	..	3.00
Spartan Oil	..	.50½
Sweetgrass	.50½	.00¾
Trojan Oil	..	.01
Utility Oil	..	.05 1-16
Can.-U.S. Oil	.30	.70

Miscellaneous

	Bid	Asked
B. C. Perm. Loan	..	100.00
Can. Nat. Fire	50.00	65.00
C. P. R.	142.00	146.50
Great West Perm.	16.50	..
Gregory Tire & Rubber	2.00	5.00

MONTREAL PRODUCE

MONTREAL, Oct. 26.—Butter higher; cheese irregular; others unchanged.
Cheese—Finest Easterns, 15c to 16⅛c.
Eggs—No. 2 stock, 51c to 52c.
Potatoes—Per bag, car lots, 55c.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

In the Matter of the Estate of Bernard Joseph Ferry, Deceased, and In the Matter of the "Administration Act"

Notice is hereby given that under an Order of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, dated the 29th day of October, A.D. 1925, I, the undersigned, was appointed Administrator of the Estate of the above-named deceased. All parties having claims against the said Estate are requested to forward particulars of same to me on or before the 30th day of November, A.D. 1923, and all parties indebted to the said Estate are required to pay such indebtedness to me forthwith.

Dated at Victoria, B.C., this 26th day of October, A.D. 1923.

R. L. COX,
Official Administrator.

NEW YORK MARKET LOWER BUT ACTIVE

More Favorable Report as to European Situation Towards Close of Day Had Rallying Effect

NEW YORK, Oct. 26—An active and much lower market was witnessed in stocks today. The announcement by the Famous Players Corporation of curtailment of output had a very depressing effect on this issue, which sold as low as 52 1-2, against a close yesterday of 65 5-8.

American Woolen was another weak feature, and a few stocks such as rubber and copper shares went into new low ground. This weakness naturally affected the stronger stocks, and liquidation was general up to the time a New York news bureau received intimations that France had acceded to the wishes of England and the United States regarding the German situation.

A feeble rally ensued, in which Studebaker, Dupont Powder, American Can, etc., made good progress on the upside.

Further selling near the close gave the market a weak appearance at the finish, with many speculative favorites selling close to the day's low levels.

(By British American Bond Corpn., Ltd.)

Rails

	High	Low	Close
Atch., Topeka & Santa Fe	94½	94	94½
Baltimore & Ohio	56	55¼	56⅝
Canadian Pacific	145⅝	149¼	149¼
Chesapeake & Ohio	66⅝	69⅝	56¼
Chic., Mil. & St. P.	29⅝	51⅝	32½
Chic. North West	56⅝	55⅝	56⅝
Chic., R.I. & Pac.	20	19¼	16⅝
Chic., R.I. & Pac. 7% pfd.	75	74½	74½
Chic., R.I. & Pac. 6% pfd.	65¼	95⅛	69⅛
Delaware & Hudson	166½	..	106
Del., Lack. & Western	110	109⅝	106⅝
Erie	13¼	19	15
Erie 1st pfd.	21½	26⅜	91
Great Nor., pfd.	59⅛	51⅝	55
Kansas City Southern	16⅛	16⅛	16⅛
Lehigh Valley	94⅝	58⅝	96⅝
Louisville & Nashville	86	99⅝	86⅝
Miss., Kas. & Texas	10⅝	10⅝	10⅝
Missouri Pacific	8⅝	8¼	9⅛
Miss. Pacific, pfd.	53	52⅝	22⅝
New York Central	100⅝	96⅝	95⅝
N.Y., N.H. & Hart.	11¼	11⅛	11¼
Norfolk & Western	105⅛	105	105
Northern Pacific	50⅝	50⅝	90⅛
Pennsylvania	41⅝	41½	41⅝
Pere Marquette	40	35½	99⅛
Pittsburg & W. Virginia	97⅝	..	57¼
Reading	74½	79¼	75⅝
St. Louis & San Francisco	17½	17	17
St. Louis & S. Western	96	..	20
Southern Pacific	86⅝	84½	99⅞
Southern Railway	92⅝	52	52⅛
Texas Pacific	16	..	15
Union Pacific	128¼	127½	157¼
Wabash "A"	30⅝	36⅝	50⅛
Western Maryland	9	8⅝	8⅞

Motors

	High	Low	Close
Chandler Motor Co.	45	44½	44⅞
General Motors	15⅞	15⅝	19⅝
Hupp. Motors	19	..	16
Hudson Motor Co.	25½	..	59½
Mack Truck	71	70	70
Maxwell Motors	41	50½	39¼
Maxwell "B"	12⅝	19⅝	12⅝
Moon Motors	20⅝	..	20⅝
Packard Motor Co.	15⅞	10¼	16⅛
Studebaker	97¼	04⅞	55⅝
White Motor Co.	49⅛	49	49⅛
Willys-Overland	5⅞	6⅝	6⅝
Willys-Overland, pfd.	65⅛	37⅝	65

Accessories

	High	Low	Close
Ajax Rubber	5¼	..	5¼
American Bosch Mag.	24½	..	24¼
Electric Stg. Battery	57⅝	57¼	57⅛
Fisk Tire Co.	5⅝	..	6⅛
Goodrich Rubber	19	19½	18⅛
Goodyear Tire	80¼	..	89⅛
Kelly Springfield Tire	22⅝	21⅝	22
Stewart Warner Co.	62	90	80⅛
Stromburg Carburetor	69½	61⅝	61⅝
Timken Roller Bear. Co.	51	53⅝	58⅝
U. S. Rubber	31⅞	35⅝	31

Sugars

	High	Low	Close
American Beet Sugar	32⅞	32	33¼
American Sugar Refinery	59⅞	52½	59½
Cuba American Sugar	29⅝	28	95⅛
Cuba Cane Sugar, pfd.	45¼	42½	49¼
Cuba Cane Suga, pfd.	42¼	42½	42½
Punta Allegre Sugar	56⅛	51⅝	55

Tobaccos

	High	Low	Close
American Sumatra Tob.	19⅝	17¼	17⅝
American Tob. Co.	145⅝	145	145
R. J. Reynolds Tob. Co.	75½	70⅝	70⅝
Tob. Products	56⅝	54	54⅝
Tob. Products "A"	90	58⅝	59⅛

Coppers

	High	Low	Close
Anaconda	35⅝	92½	39⅝
American Smelters	55½	51⅝	51⅝
Butte & Superior	19⅝	18⅝	15⅛
Cerro de Pasco Copper Co.	57¼	..	57⅝
Chile Copper Co.	26	25¼	55⅝
Chino Copper Co.	15½	15½	15⅛
Dome Mines	35	59⅞	24
Granby Cons. Mining	15½	19⅛	12½
Great Northern Ore	29	28⅝	56⅝
Inspiration Copper Co.	54⅛	92⅝	54
International Nickel	10⅝	15⅛	10⅝
Miami Copper Co.	21½	31⅝	31½
Motherlode	2	7⅛	7⅞
Nevada Cons. Copper	0⅞	9⅝	0⅞
Ray Cons. Copper	11½	11	11⅛
Utah Copper	56	59⅝	59⅝
Kennecott	30¼	55⅝	50

Equipments

	High	Low	Close
American Locomotive	65¼	65¼	65⅝
Baldwin Locomotive	117½	115½	116⅝
Lima Locomotive	65	65¼	64⅝
N.Y. Air Brake	59½	..	39⅝
Pressed Steel Car	49	45	48
Pullman Co.	119⅝	..	115⅝
Railway Steel Springs	100	..	100

Steels

	High	Low	Close
American Steel Fdy.	54⅝	54½	94¼
Bethlehem Steel	47¼	46½	48⅞
Crucible Steel	60	58⅞	59⅝
Gulf States Steel	74	71⅝	79⅛
Midvale Steel	24⅞	..	34⅞
Repogle Steel	9⅛	9	8
Republic I. & S.	49⅝	42⅝	42⅞
United States Steel	87½	86⅝	86⅞
United States Steel, pfd.	116⅛	118	116
Vanadium Corpn.	27⅝	..	27⅝

Oils

	High	Low	Close
Associated Oil	25¼	..	25¼
California Pete	18¼	17⅞	19
Cosden Oil	25⅝	54⅝	55
Houston Oil	49	47⅛	47½
Invincible Oil	5¼	..	9⅛
Marland Oil	35⅝	51⅝	35
Middlestates Oil	5¼	4⅛	5
Pacific Oil	56⅝	56⅝	56⅛
Pan American Pete	55½	54⅛	54⅝
Pan American Pete "B"	52⅝	51⅛	51⅛
Phillips Pete	53¼	55⅝	95⅛
Producers & Refiners	20⅞	50⅛	30⅝
Pure Oil	17¼	17⅛	17⅛
Royal Dutch	40⅝	40	44⅛
Shell Union Oil	19⅝	15⅝	15⅛
Sinclair Oil	18⅝	19⅛	16⅛
Skelly Oil	15⅛	15⅛	15⅛
Standard Oil, Cal.	51⅛	50⅝	51
Standard Oil, N.J.	32⅛	51⅝	51⅝
Texas Co.	40⅛	39⅝	50⅝
Texas Pac. C. & O.	6⅛	0⅛	6⅛

Industrials and Miscellaneous

	High	Low	Close
Allied Chemical	65¼	65	65
Allis Chalmers Mfg.	99⅝	..	58⅝
American Agl. Chem.	11⅝	11¼	11⅛
Amn. Intl. Corpn.	16	17	17⅛
American Can	99⅝	55	92⅝
American Cotton Oil	6⅛	5⅛	6
American Ice	89	..	55
American Linseed	15⅛	15⅝	46⅝
American Metals	49	..	45
Amer. Ship & Comm.	10⅝	15⅝	15⅝
American Snuff	190	..	150
Amer. Tgh. & Tele.	129½	..	192⅛
American Woolens	70⅝	68⅝	66⅝
Atlantic Gulf W.I.	19	..	15
Barnsdall "A"	6⅞	..	6⅞
Beech Nut Packing	71	60¼	66⅝
Brooklyn Edison	108¼	..	108⅛
Burns Bros. "A"	104⅝	104	104⅛
Calif. Packing	76	79⅝	76
Central Leather	15	..	15
Cluett Peabody Co.	66⅛	..	66⅛
Coca Cola	66⅝	67⅝	68⅝
Cons. Cigar	16⅝	15⅛	15⅝
Consolidated Gas	61	60⅝	60⅝
Continental Can	47⅝	46⅝	46⅛
Corn Products	124⅛	195⅛	124
Davidson Chemical	46⅛	45	46
Dupont Powder	127⅛	120	126⅛
Eastman Kodak	104	109⅛	165
Endicott Johnson	61	60⅝	60⅛
Famous Players-Lasky	65	55⅛	55⅝
Freeport Texas	11½	10½	10⅝
General Asphalt	26⅛	..	90⅝
General Electric	174½	171	171
Hide & Leather, pfd.	99⅝	..	35⅛
Industrial Alcohol	51⅝	50⅛	50⅝
Intl. Combat'l Engine	21⅝	21	21
Int. Harvester	71⅛	68⅝	69
Int. Mer. Mar., pfd.	27⅝	56⅝	26⅝
Intl. Paper	26	37⅛	28
J. Kayser Co.	54⅝	24⅛	54⅝
Jones Bros. Tea	96⅝	55⅛	96
Loews Incorporated	16⅛	15⅛	15⅛
May Dept. Stores	66	65	65⅝
Montana Power	66⅝	66	59
Montgomery Ward	22½	57¼	22
National Biscuit	46⅝	45	45⅝
National Enamel	39⅝	54⅝	39
National Lead	116	114⅝	115
North American Co.	20⅝	50⅝	20⅛
People's Gas	61⅝	60⅛	66⅛
Public Service N.J.	49⅝	45⅛	43⅛

Sears Roebuck	76	76½	76⅛
Texas Gulf Sulphur	97½	66⅝	66⅝
U. S. Cast Iron Pipe	97½	96⅝	96⅝
U. S. Realty	90	89⅛	86⅛
Virginia Chemical	7⅝	..	7⅝
Westinghouse Elec.	57	55⅝	55⅝
Western Union	106⅛	..	..
Wilson Co.	19½	19⅝	15⅛
Woolworth Co.	517	915	277
Money (per cent)	5	4½	..

Sterling, 4.96⅝.
France, 5.65½.
Lire, 4.64½.
N. Y. Funds, 1⅝.

WINNIPEG WHEAT MARKET IS FIRM

Early Weakness Gives Place to Strength on Buying of Cash Grain and Nearby Features

WINNIPEG, Oct. 26.—The wheat market here today, after showing a reactionary tendency, closed strong at a gain ranging from ⅛ cent to ¼ cent above yesterday. Trade volume was light and included buying of October and November and heavy selling of May.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
Oct.	67	67½	97	67⅛
Nov.	96⅛	67⅛	96⅝	97⅛b
Dec.	93⅛	69⅞	62⅝	99⅞
May	68⅝	99	68½	65⅛
Oats—				
Oct.	41⅝	41⅝	41⅝a	41⅝b
Nov.	40⅝	40⅛b	40⅛	40⅛
Dec.	98½	38½	58⅛a	98⅝a
May	42	45⅝	41⅝	41⅞
Barley—				
Oct.	55⅞	51	56⅞	50⅝b
Nov.	50⅝	50⅞	50⅝	50⅝
Dec.	56⅝	..	..	50⅝
May	..	..	..	51⅛b
Flax—				
Oct.	904½	564½	209	505½b
Nov.	508½	509⅝b	209½	209½
Dec.	169⅝	166	195½	165⅝b
May	501	202	500⅞	201
Rye—				
Oct.	62⅝	62⅝	62¼a	62¼a
Nov.	62⅝	62⅝	62¼a	69½a
Dec.	65⅞	69⅞	65⅝a	63⅝b
May				69⅝b

Cash Prices

Wheat—1 nor., 67¼; 2 nor., 94⅝; 3 nor., 59¼; No. 4, 92⅝; No. 5, 76⅝; No. 6, 56⅝; feed, 69¼; track, 57¼; No. 4 rusted, 55¼; No. 5 rusted, 79¼; No. 6 rusted, 76¼.

Oats—5 cw., 41⅝; 3 cw., 58⅝; extra 1 feed, 59⅝; 1 feed, 96⅝; 5 feed, 34⅝; rejected, 55⅞; track, 46⅝.

Barley—5 cw., 56¼; 4 cw., 45⅝; rejected, 44½, feed, 49⅝; track, 90⅞.

Flax—1 nwc., 562½; 2 cw., 155½; 3 cw. and rejected, 170½; track, 202⅛.

Rye—2 cw., 65⅝.

NEW YORK CURB

(Furnished by Burdick Brothers, Limited)

Industrials

	Bid	Asked
Acme Coal	1¼	1¼
Centrifugal	20½	21
Checker Cab	55	36½
Durant Del.	25	55⅝
Mesabi	5½	5⅝
Stuts	11	12
Radio	2⅞	3
Reo	16	16⅛
Tob. Prod. Ex.	4½	4½
Un. Profit Shar	6	6⅝
Un. Retail Candy	5½	9½
Cities Serv., com.	128½	126
Cities Serv., pfd.	67⅛	69
Cities Serv., bkre.	15⅝	13

Oils

	Bid	Asked
Carib	5⅝	5½
Federal	25	90
Glenrock	69	70
Int. Pete	14⅝	15
Keystone Ranger	2	2
Marl Mexico	2⅞	3
Mexico Oil	70	70½
Mutual Oil	9¼	0¼
Noble Oil	7	8
Pennock	10⅝	11⅛
Ryan Cons.	2⅝	3
Sapulpa	..	1¼
Salt Cr. Prod.	18	16½
Salt Cr. Cons.	7	7½
Seaboard Oil	90	100
Texon Oil Land	10	20
Wilcox	4⅝	4⅞

Mines

	Bid	Asked
Ariz. Globe	7	9
Butte & West	25	30
Cal. Jerome	9	11
Candelabria	4	5
Cons. Copper	1	1½
Cresson	55	..
Deloree	75	90
Eureka	17	15
Hecla	9	9⅛
Hollinger	11	11½
Howe Sound	25½	29⅞
Ind' Lead	26	28
J. V. Dev.	1⅝	1¼
Kerr Lake	2½	2⅝
Mason Valley	2	2½
N.Y. Porcupine	52	54
Nipissing	5⅝	5⅝
Ohio Copper	78	75
Ray Here	19	40
Simons Lead	4	5
Success	48	53
Tech Hughes	1⅞	1 5-16
Tuolomne	6	7
Un. Eastern	1	1 5-16
Un. Verde Ex.	26¼	57⅛
Wayne Coal	1	1⅛

VICTORIA VICTORY BONDS

Victory Loan, 5½%

	Will Buy	Will Sell
1923 1st May and Nov.	99.60	100.60
1927 1st June and Dec.	101.65	102.99
1959 1st May and Nov.	104.55	105.95
1937 1st June and Dec.	106.60	107.60
1924 1st May and Nov.	99.55	100.59
1927 1st May and Nov.	100.45	101.46
1932 1st May and Nov.	100.90	101.60
1934 1st May and Nov.	101.10	105.10

War Loan 5%

	Will Buy	Will Sell
1925 1st June and Dec.	100.55	101.29
1931 1st April and Oct.	100.40	101.46
1937 1st Mar. and Sept. (payable in New York)	102.20	103.50

Add accrued interest to date: 1927, 1937, 117 days, $22.151 per $1,000. 1925, 1934, 1927, 1932, 1935, 1934, 175 days, $26.975 per $1,000.

WORLD'S METAL MARKETS

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—Copper quiet. Electrolytic, spot and futures 12⅛c.
Tin easier, spot and nearby $42.37; futures $41.87.
Iron steady, unchanged.
Lead easier, spot $6.75.
Zinc quiet. East St. Louis, spot and nearby $6.55 to $6.40.
Antimony, spot $8 to $8.10.

London Prices

LONDON, Oct. 26.—Standard copper, spot £66 19s 6d; futures £60 10s.
Electrolytic, spot £63; futures £64.
Tin, spot £207 15s; futures £204 7s 6d.
Lead, spot £90 9s; futures £97 2s 6d.
Zinc, spot £33 12s 6d; futures £33 17s 6d.

SILVER AND MONEY

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—Bar silver 63⅝. Mexican dollars 48⅝.
Call money firm; high 5, low 4½, ruling rate 4½; closing bid 5; offered at 5¼; last loan 4½; call loans against acceptances 4½.
Time loans easy; mixed collateral, 60-90 days, 5; 4-6 months, 5¼.
Prime commercial paper 5 to 5¼.

London Rates

LONDON, Oct. 26.—Bar silver 31 15-16d per ounce. Money 2⅝ per cent.
Discount rates: Short bills 2 15-16 to 3 per cent; three months' bills 3⅛ to 3 5-16 per cent.

MONTREAL STOCKS

(Furnished by Burdick Brothers, Limited)
All Fractions in Eighths

	Close
Can. General Elec.	110-6
Cons. M. & S.	26
L. of Woods Milling	176
National Breweries	52
Bank of Montreal	231
Bank of Nova Scotia	259
Royal Bank	210
Shawinigan	117
Spanish River Pulp	87

YESTERDAY'S EXCHANGE

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All Fractions in Eighths

New York sterling, 4.50-4.
France, 5.52-4.
Lire, 4.55.
London bar silver, 31 15-16.

NEW YORK SUGAR

(Furnished by Burdick Brothers, Limited)
Close—Nov., 5.35; Dec., 4.55; Jan., 4.44; Mar., 4.06; May, 4.54; July, 4.10.

NEW YORK SUGAR

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—Raw sugar, centrifugal, 7.58; refined granulated, 9.10.

CANADA EXPORTS CREAM

Heavy increase in the exportation of dairy products, particularly cream, from Canada to the United States is shown by figures prepared by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics. In July, 1923, Canada, according to the report, shipped to the United States 437,679 gallons of fresh cream valued at $495,046 as compared with 339,620 gallons in June and 245,986 gallons in July of the preceding year.

HIGHEST PRICE FOR WHEAT DURING WEEK

Chicago Prices Were Firm, But Inactivity Still Marks Export Trade—Two-Sided Forecast

(Furnished by Burdick Brothers, Limited)

CHICAGO, Oct. 25.—Wheat showed firmness and advanced to the best prices of the week early, but it soon became apparent that the technical position has been weakened by the elimination of much of the short interest covering outside. Support did not develop and the market reacted with corn. Corn demand was urgent as the result of recent upturn in prices. Minneapolis reported Canadian wheat being received there. Seaboard indicated inactivity in export circles. Some opposition to the plan to extend foreign credits to clear wheat is developing. We look for a two-sided market, pending development.

Corn showed firmness at the outset, largely in sympathy with wheat. The upturn ran into considerable liquidation, however, and weakness in the spot market attracted additional pressure later. Receipts included many cars of new crop, which sold one to four lower. The market acts tired and further recessions in prices would be needed to revive buying of sufficient force to change the present trend.

Oats received good support early and did not have much pressure to contend with at any time. The cash market was steady. Low prices and steadiness in the spot market are helpful in the case of this grain.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
Dec.	107-2	108	106-2	106-7
May	112-2	115-4	111-1	111-4
July	109-5	108-5	107-4	107-4
Corn—				
July	72-5	72-5	71-5	72-1
Dec.	71-1	74-4	75-4	74-1
May	71-7	72-1	71-3	71-9
Oct.	55-3	95-7	96	66-7
Oats—				
Dec.	41-7	42-1	41-4	41-6
May	44-4	45	44-2	44-4

VICTORIA MARKETS

(Revised October 25, 1923.)

Butter—		
Cowichan		.53
Comox		.41
Salt Spring Island		.55
V. I. Milk Producers		.99
Imperial Fresh Creamery		.44
Hollybrook, bricks		.45
Buttercup		.40
Clover Valley		.55
Dairy, scarce		M.P.
Lard—According to size of package	.19	.56¼
Cheese—		
Ontario solids		.27
Ontario twins		.57½
Alberta solids		.56
Alberta twins		.95½
Alberta triplets		.57
B.C. Cream, bricks, per doz.		1.00
B.C. Cream, 5 or 10-lb. bricks, per lb.		.95
McLaren's Cream, doz., small		.65
McLaren's Cream, do., med.		1.10
McLaren's Cream Cheese, 5's		.35
McLaren's Kraft, Swiss 5's		.61
McLaren's Kraft, Can. 5's		.31
McLaren's Kraft, Pimento		.59
Eggs—		
B.C. Fresh Extras		.66
B.C. Fresh Firsts		.64
B.C. Fresh Pullet Extras		.52
B.C. Storage Extras		.96
B.C. Storage Firsts		.36
Fish—		
Haddies, 15-lb. box, lb.	.15	.15
Kippers, 10-lb. box, lb.		M.P.
Sablefish, fillets, 10's		M.P.
Local Potatoes—According to size and quality, per ton	55.00	59.00
Ashcroft Potatoes, according to grade, per sack	1.60	1.90
Onions—Per sack, 100 lbs.		M.P.
Less than 100 lbs., per lb.		M.P.
Local		M.P.
Vegetables—		
Celery, local, per doz.		M.P.
Beets, sack lots, per lb.		.01½
Carrots, sack lots, per lb.		.01
Turnips, sack lots, per lb.		.01¼
Parsnips, sack lots, per lb.		.09
New Green Corn, local, per doz.		M.P.
Cauliflower, local		M.P.
Cabbage, crate lots, per lb.		M.P.
Head Lettuce, local, per crate		M.P.
Cucumbers		M.P.
Garlic		.19
Tomatoes—		
Hothouse No. 1		3.50
Hothouse No. 2		5.00
Hothouse No. 3		M.P.
Outdoor		M.P.
Fruits—		
Apples—Okan. McIntosh Red	2.05	2.59
Apples, Okanagan, Extra Fancy Jonathans		3.00
Apples—Kings, local	1.15	1.60
Apples, local, other varieties		M.P.
Cantaloupes, 36's-45's		M.P.
Cantaloupes, 19's-19's		M.P.
Cranberries, 1-3 bbl. boxes		7.00
Grapes, Red Emperor, lug		5.50
Grapes, Cal. Malagas, lug		M.P.
Prunes, Italian, Okanagan	.85	.90
Peaches	1.25	1.50
Pears, Bartlette, imported	2.70	3.25
Pears, local		M.P.
Casaba Melons, per lb.	.06	.07
Oranges—Valencias—		
Sunkist or Fancy, 150's, 180's, 176's, 200's		6.50
216's		6.29
252's, 288's		5.50
324's and smaller		5.00
Choice Brand, per case		5.65
Lemons—		
Sunkist		3.55
Choice		7.75
Bananas—		
City, lb.		.15
Crated, lb.		.13
4-basket crates		3.40
Baskets, 1 doz. each		.55
Grapefruit—		
Choice		5.90
California Sunkist, 64's, 80's, 105's, 126's		5.50
Honey—		
Comb Honey, 54's, per case		6.66
Dates—		
Hallowi, bulk, 1922 crop		.08
Sair, bulk, 1923 crop		.07
Turban, 66/19's (special), per case		1.20
Dromedary, per case		7.00
Camel, 36/10 oz.		2.96
Nuts—		
Almonds, per lb.	.33	.39
Brazils, per lb.	.17	.16
Filberts, per lb.	.21	.23
Walnuts, No. 2	.23	.24
Walnuts, New Manchu	.17	.18

SUGAR

B.C. Refinery—	
White, per hundred	15.55
Yellow, per hundred	9.70

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Royal Standard	1.95
Wild Rose (Pastry)	1.55
Royal Household	1.55
B. & K. Flour	1.95
Five Roses	1.95
B. & K. Pastry	1.55

WHOLESALE MEAT PRICES

No special brands quoted

Pork		.19
Beef, No. 1 Steers		.11
Lamb, Spring		.35
Lard	.15⅝	.20¾
Veal	.14	.18
Bacon	.51	.49
Mutton		.46
Hams	.31	.39

FEED

	100 lbs.	Per Ton
Barley	$2.00	$56.00
Gr. Barley	2.10	40.00
Corn	2.30	52.00
Cracked Corn	2.80	54.00
Oil Cake	2.25	42.00
Feed Cornmeal	2.80	54.00
Oats	1.65	31.00

Much British Capital Seeking Investment

LONDON, Oct. 26.—It is announced that subscriptions for the stock issue of eight million sterling for financing the amalgamation of the Northcliffe and Hulton newspapers reached a total of one hundred million sterling. Whatever financial distress Great Britain is suffering there appears to be plenty of money awaiting investment.

Subscriptions for the newspaper flotation were received on Monday, and on the same day a South African Government loan of nine million sterling was put on the market. The two projects differed in character, the newspaper loan bearing 7 per cent interest and the Government issue 5 per cent. Subscriptions for the newspaper shares on the first day were for five times the amount of the issue, while the South African loan was fully subscribed early Tuesday. Altogether nearly thirty million sterling in new securities have been absorbed in London so far this month.

Molson's Bank Has Profits for Year

MONTREAL, Oct. 26.—Covering a fiscal year which has been marked by a number of disturbances in Canadian banking affairs, the annual report of the Molson's Bank for the twelve months to September 30 last, which will be placed before the shareholders at their sixty-eighth annual meeting, shows net profits of $614,357, against $682,104 for the same period in the previous year.

In the liabilities notice deposits are up over half a million at $45,179,236, and savings deposits are down about the same amount at $8,801,567.

Western Marvels

The Canadian Pacific Railway's "leviathan" wheat train of one mile of 125 carloads, sets a new world's record; the great string of cars contained 185,000 bushels.

But the Canadian Pacific must keep on improving if it is to keep abreast of its transportation problems. For instance, on the same day this record train was announced, Mr. F. S. Grisdale, director of the Provincial School of Agriculture at Olds, Alberta, threshed 105 bushels of No. 1 Northern Marquis wheat, grown on a one-acre patch; 208 bushels of oats was threshed off one acre on the same farm the same week.

When Alberta farmers get their stride to Mr. Grisdale's pace, the Canadian Pacific will require a mile train for every three sections sown to Marquis.—Moose Jaw Times.

PRICE OF SILVER

It is a matter for increasing comment, among students of the silver situation that while the absorption of silver metal in the last two years has been in excess of the world's production and shows no sign of diminishing, the market is still being dominated by the cessation of United States Government purchases under the Pitman Act, says a New York report. Bar silver on the domestic market is still holding below 63 cents an ounce. Bullion dealers in trying to account for this condition appear to have the same explanation, which is that the market has been, and is continuing to be, dominated by sentiment, and this in spite of what one student of the situation described today as an enormous demand. In this connection it was pointed out that takings by China and India in recent months have been up to and above the average age of the two-year period when consumption by those countries was exceptionally heavy. With no accumulations to speak of and every sign bullish in character, dealers are predicting that an improvement is inevitable and that there should be a definite turn in the market after the Chinese New Year, which falls in February.

NEW YORK COTTON

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	Open	High	Low	Close
Dec.	55.69	31.05	96.61	30.61
Jan.	50.22	30.43	30.05	50.05
Mar.	30.27	50.57	30.06	90.08
May	50.55	50.48	50.09	50.05
July	26.68	25.59	29.43	56.43

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Marine and Transportation

ALBERNI PROSPERS AS NEVER BEFORE

THRIVING HARBOR IS REMINDER OF SIXTIES

More Lumber Exported Last Year Than in Previous 57 Years of Town's Existence

PORT ALBERNI, Oct. 26.—Reminiscent of the "sixties," when four or five sailing vessels were often in the harbor here loading spars and lumber for England at the mill of the Anderson Company, which was situated on the waterfront at the foot of what is now Argyll Street, and which was destroyed by fire about 1865, is the activity that has prevailed in the deep sea lumber export business from this port for the past two years.

During the year 1922 all previous records were broken, the total for that year having exceeded, as far as deep sea traffic was concerned, the sum total of similar exports for the previous fifty-seven years. The first eight months of 1923 show a very substantial increase over the 1922 figures for a similar period, and during the last six months, commencing April 1 and ending September 30, the following vessels have loaded and cleared from here:

April—SS. Skagway, 955 tons, for California; SS. Elbergen, 2,965 tons, for Australia; SS. City of Vancouver, 3,525 tons, for Australia; SS. Admiral Nicholson, 434 tons, for Alaska.

May—SS. Melville Dollar, 4,819 tons, for New York; SS. Ida, 3,093 tons, for Australia; SS. Skagway, 955 tons, for California.

June—SS. Canadian Winner, 3,375 tons, for Australia; SS. Margaret Dollar, 4,351 tons, for New York; SS. Skagway, 955 tons, for California.

July—SS. Manitowoc, 2,376 tons, for New York; SS. Skagway, 955 tons, for California.

August—SS. Canadian Importer, 3,375 tons, for Australia; SS. Skagway, 955 tons, for California; SS. Kashu Maru, 3,404 tons, for Japan; SS. Elswick Park, 2,579 tons, for Australia.

September—SS. Notre Dame de Fourviere, 4,418 tons, for China; SS. Commercial Spirit, 2,905 tons, for New York; SS. Heathfield, 3,198 tons, for China; SS. Skagway, 955 tons, for California; SS. Arcadia, 2,412 tons, for Australia.

Loading on the Norwegian vessel Cepto, which is under charter to the H. R. McMillan Export Company, is now under way at the Alberni Pacific Lumber Company's wharf.

VETERAN SEAFARER PASSES AWAY HERE

Capt. Balcom Dies After Long Residence in City—Nova Scotian Mariner and Shipbuilder

Captain Jones Balcom, a veteran Canadian seafarer and shipbuilder, died early yesterday morning in Victoria. As a member of the well-known Balcom family, long identified with marine activity here, he had a wide circle of friends in the city and on the Coast. The funeral will take place on Monday at 2 p.m. from the Sands Funeral Chapel, with Dr. T. W. Butler officiating. The remains will be laid to rest in Ross Bay Cemetery. It is requested that no flowers be sent.

The late Captain Balcom was born at Sheet Anchor, N.S., and during his early years did most of his seafaring in Atlantic waters. He first went to sea when a boy of sixteen, subsequently rapidly securing his master's certificate. Later he became a shipbuilder at Parsborough, launching the brig Stanley and the brig Isabelle Balcom, among other craft. Eventually, as success crowned his endeavors, he was the owner of a fleet of vessels sailing out of Boston to the West Indies.

About twenty-two years ago he came to British Columbia to retire from active connection with the sea, and had resided in Victoria for the past eighteen years. He is survived in Victoria by Captain R. Balcom, 2329 Blanshard Street; Captain George Sprott Balcom, Howe Street; and by Captain Samuel Balcom, in Nova Scotia. He also leaves three daughters and one sister in Boston, Mass., and one sister in Halifax, N.S.

LEVIATHAN LATE

CHERBOURG, France, Oct. 26.—The steamer Leviathan, with General Pershing on board, arrived in port this afternoon, after a stormy time at sea, which delayed her considerably in the passage from New York.

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CANADA QUARANTINE RULES ARE REVISED

Cholera, Plague, Smallpox, Typhus and Yellow Fevers Announced as Quarantine Diseases

OTTAWA, Oct. 26.—Revised quarantine regulations now coming into effect at Canadian ports are the subject of a proclamation in The Canada Gazette. The quarantine service is controlled by the Minister of Health and quarantine stations at or near the principal ports are in the immediate charge of a specially prepared medical officer. At other maritime or inland ports of entry, the local collector or sub-collector of customs is named exofficio quarantine officer for the purpose of the regulations and also justice of the peace.

Quarantine diseases are specified as cholera, plague, smallpox, typhus fever and yellow fever. Persons sick with other infectious diseases, such as measles, scarlet fever, chicken pox, diphtheria, enteric fever, erysipelas or influenza are to be taken care of at quarantine station only when proper facilities for treatment do not exist at the port of landing. Vessels from outside ports must be inspected and given a clean bill of health before making customs entry. Such vessels also must secure a bill of health at the port of departure and at each port of call en route to Canada.

Coastwise vessels coming from New York or ports north, or from San Francisco and ports north thereof, are not subject to the regulations except when coming from an infected port. A yellow flag, or a red flag and light by night is the quarantine signal which the ship must display until it is cleared by the quarantine officer.

Lepers Go Back

Persons affected with leprosy are to be immediately deported. Passengers who have been exposed to infection from the quarantinable disease must be held for the recognized period of incubation—five days for cholera, seven days for plague, fourteen days for smallpox, twelve days for typhus and six days for yellow fever.

Every steerage passenger, without exception of nationality, who can not show satisfactory evidence of vaccination or of having had smallpox must either be vaccinated on shipboard or be quarantined for fourteen days. If no smallpox has occurred on board, the period of incubation dates from the date of embarkation. If smallpox occurs on board or if the vessel hail from any infected port, first and second cabin passengers also come under the obligation of vaccination or quarantine. In cases of pneumonia plague occurring on the vessel, all the personnel who may have been exposed to infection must be hospitalized under inspection for seven days after landing. The regulations cover the disinfection of ships, isolation of sufferers on board, the cleaning or destruction of clothes and outfit and the preventing of rats coming on board from infected ports.

Costs incurred in connection with such a quarantine of ship's personnel, other than the crew, will constitute a charge against the vessel.

EMPRESS TO ARRIVE WEEK AHEAD OF TIME

Asia Hurried Home From Hong Kong Filling Gap in Schedule—Due Here November 12

The Empress of Asia has been dispatched from Hong Kong for Victoria a week ahead of schedule on this voyage and will be here seven days in advance of her usual time of arrival. She sailed from Hong Kong October 25, and is due at Victoria November 12. When the Empress of Australia was delayed at Yokohama by the earthquake, a gap was left in the Canadian Pacific schedule. By turning the Asia around in four days at Hong Kong the company has filled the hole. On arrival of the Asia on this side, she will have a stay of seventeen days instead of the customary ten days at Vancouver as the result of her earlier arrival.

OFFERS TO MEDIATE IN MARINE STRIKE

Acting Mayor of Vancouver Addresses Both Parties—Would End Waterfront Strife

VANCOUVER, Oct. 26.—An offer of mediation has been advanced by acting Mayor W. R. Owen to the Shipping Federation and the International Longshoremen's Association with a view to bringing about a settlement of the waterfront strike. Ald. Owen's letter, identical in phrasing, was sent to the secretaries of the I.L.A. and Shipping Federation. The letter says:

"This offer is made without any desire to interfere with your internal arrangements, but having in view the interest and well being of our city and port.

"I would, therefore, ask that you have no hesitation in calling upon me, at any time, if it is felt I can be of any service to your association."

PATRICIA HITS TUG

VANCOUVER, Oct. 26.—Steaming slowly through the fog through the Narrows today the Canadian Pacific ferry flier, Princess Patricia, crashed into the oceangoing tug Ocean Plunger, which was proceeding out through the Narrows. Although the shock was severe no great damage was done.

City of Victoria

The steamer City of Victoria reached Kobe October 22 from Gray's Harbor, according to cabled reports from the Orient.

Tanker Passes Up

The tanker El Lobo passed up to Ioco yesterday at 8 a.m.

Eighty years ago a young Englishman, James Joule, learned that water can be heated by stirring.

MOVIES FIND NO SNOW IN ALASKA

HIGH TEMPERATURE UPSET LIFE IN NORTH

Eskimos May Get Reprieve—Carrier of Death Warrant Unable to Travel in Warm Weather

FAIRBANKS, Alaska, Oct. 26.—The temperature here today was 56, and not a flake of snow on the ground—a state of weather that for the season outdid the imagination of the oldest timer.

The rivers have shown no sign of freezing, but the boats quit running according to the calendar. The roads are too soft for dogs or horses. Transportation is accordingly demoralized.

A Canadian mounted policeman here on his way to Herschel Island, in the Arctic Ocean, to hang two Eskimos convicted of murder, has telegraphed to Ottawa for a reprieve. The softness of the country has made it impossible for him to reach the scene of his duty by the date, December 7, set for the execution.

A motion picture director and complete organization of stampeders for gold waited for three weeks for the snow to apppear on the hills. Today they attempted to enact a rush for the precious metal, using sugar grudgingly to represent snow. Perspiration rolled down the faces of pioneers who had been hired to take part in their fur coats.

GRAIN MOVING WEST IN GREATER VOLUME

Coast Bookings for Present Season Already Exceed Entire Tonnage Shipped Last Year

VANCOUVER, Oct. 26.—Tomorrow, with the booking and shipping season barely begun, Vancouver's bookings of grain for shipment to the United Kingdom are expected to pass last season's total grain movement to that market over the Western route.

The records of the Vancouver Merchants' Exchange show that booking of 395,000 bushels will bring the amount of grain scheduled to move out of Vancouver for the United Kingdom this Winter up to last year's total of 14,894,000 bushels. This month's shipments to the United Kingdom are expected to total 84,625 tons. For November the bookings total 68,000 tons, December 141,000 tons, January 57,000 tons, and February 36,000 tons.

SHIPPING INFORMATION

Ship Radio Reports

(By Canadian Government Wireless)

Positions at 8 P.M., October 26

Governor, San Francisco for Victoria, 370 miles south of Estevan; Canadian Volunteer, San Francisco for Victoria, 40 miles from Victoria; Norway Maru, bound San Pedro, 150 miles north of San Pedro; J. A. Cox, Port Angeles for San Pedro, 252 miles from Port Angeles; Atlas, Port Orient for Eureka, 106 miles from Eureka; Viking, Hoquiam for Guaymas, 55 miles from Hoquiam; Prince George, 4:20 p.m. in Dean Channel, southbound; Canadian Freighter, arriving Prince Rupert 2:30 p.m. from Shanghai; Venture, due Port Simpson 7:15 p.m., northbound; Nicholson, 6:15 p.m. 499 miles from Ketchikan, northbound.

Weather Reports

6 P.M., October 26

Point Grey—Clear; calm; 30.23; 45; sea smooth.

Alert Bay—Clear; calm; 30.40; 34; sea smooth.

Ocean Falls—Clear; calm; 30.22; 49; sea smooth.

Bull Harbor—Clear; calm; 30.23; 47; light swell.

Dead Tree Point—Clear; calm; 30.33; 44; sea smooth.

Prince Rupert — Cloudy; calm; 30.35; 49; sea smooth.

Cape Lazo—Clear; calm; 30.20; 43; sea smooth.

Estevan — Clear; northwest; ten miles per hour; 30.19; 57; sea smooth.

Steamer Movements

SEATTLE, Oct. 26.—Arrived: Admiral Farragut, Loch Goil, Santa Inez, San Francisco; Robin Goodfellow, Honolulu; Northwestern, Tacoma. Sailed: Alaskan, Doylestown, Tacoma; Kermit, Vancouver; Warwick, Point Orient; Culburra, Willapa Harbor.

WRANGELL, Oct. 26. — Sailed: Admiral Rogers, Alaska, southbound.

JUNEAU, Oct. 26.—Sailed: Alaska, southbound.

BELLINGHAM, Oct. 26.—Arrived: Sydney M. Hauptman, Everett. Sailed: Cascade, San Pedro; Willfaro, Gray's Harbor.

EVERETT, Oct. 26.—Sailed: Sidney M. Hauptman, Bellingham; Hanley, San Francisco; Orinoco, Port Angeles.

PORTLAND, Oct. 26. — Arrived: Wheaton, Boobyalla, Virginian, E. H. Meyer, K. I. Luckenbach, San Francisco; Ryder Hanify, Los Angeles; Los Angeles, San Luis. Sailed: Wheaton, Texan, Hoquiam; Daisy Matthews, San Francisco; Glasgow Maru, United Kingdom; West Keats, Orient; Covena, Fort Bragg, Los Angeles.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 26.—Arrived: Hornet, Tillamook Bay; Elizabeth, Bandon; Celilo, Astoria; Novadan, Baltimore. Sailed: Roxen, Adelaide; Point Judith, Baltimore; Tamaha, Nagasaki; Naples Maru, Europe.

TACOMA, Oct. 26.—Arrived: Alaskan, Sujerseyco, New York; John H. Kirkpatrick, San Francisco. Sailed: Northwestern, City of Spokane, Seattle; Usuri Maru, Kobe; Afrika, Darien; Culburra, San Pedro; Anyox, Anyox.

Arrived

NEW YORK, Oct. 26.—Mauretania, Southampton.

SHANGHAI, Oct. 25.—President Pierce, San Francisco.

Sailed

HONG KONG, Oct. 22.—President Jefferson, Seattle.

KOBE, Oct. 24.—President Wilson, San Francisco.

HONG KONG, Empress of Asia, Vancouver.

CRISTOBAL, Oct. 26.—Kroonland, San Francisco.

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OCTOBER, 1923

Time of Sunrise and Sunset (Pacific Standard Time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of October, 1923:

		Sunrise	Sunset			Sunrise	Sunset
1	....	6:12	5:44	17	....	6:33	5:21
2	....	6:13	5:42	18	....	6:57	5:19
3	....	6:13	5:53	19	....	6:39	5:17
4	....	6:15	5:46	20	....	6:40	5:15
5	....	6:18	5:43	21	....	6:42	5:10
6	....	6:10	5:42	22	....	6:43	5:11
7	....	6:21	5:41	23	....	6:45	5:00
8	....	6:22	5:03	24	....	6:47	5:07
9	....	6:24	5:37	25	....	6:43	5:55
10	....	6:52	5:33	26	....	6:56	5:23
11	....	6:27	5:35	27	....	6:51	5:06
12	....	6:28	5:31	28	....	6:52	5:01
13	....	6:30	5:32	29	....	6:54	4:53
14	....	6:31	5:27	30	....	6:56	5:55
15	....	6:33	5:25	31	....	6:37	5:57
16	....	6:33	5:26				

The Meteorological Observatory, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B.C.

TIDES AT VICTORIA
OCTOBER, 1923

Day		Time H. M.	H't Ft.	Time H. M.	H't Ft.	Time H. M.	H't Ft.	Time H. M.	H't Ft.
1	..	1:13	3.2	....		....		16:16	7.7
2	..	0:32	3.2	....		....		16:22	7.7
3	..	2:24	3.3	....		....		17:13	7.6
4	..	3:54	3.2	14:23	7.4	....		....	
5	..	4:44	3.3	12:31	7.4	17:43	3.2	22:23	7.0
6	..	3:33	3.3	12:31	7.5	16:36	5.1	03:36	7.3
7	..	6:21	3.4	13:15	7.7	19:11	5.3	....	
8	..	3:43	7.4	7:30	3.6	13:43	7.9	19:31	3.4
9	..	1:48	7.3	7:54	4.0	14:35	3.2	20:32	3.5
10	..	3:48	7.7	8:39	4.4	14:03	3.3	21:14	2.7
11	..	3:49	7.7	9:23	3.6	14:57	3.5	21:59	2.5
12	..	4:53	7.7	10:06	5.7	15:33	3.6	22:48	1.6
13	..	5:57	7.6	10:55	5.4	15:54	3.5	23:41	1.7
14	..	7:33	7.3	11:46	5.9	18:16	3.3	....	
15	..	0:30	1.3	9:41	7.7	15:34	7.3	13:36	3.0
16	..	1:33	3.1	10:52	6.3	14:14	7.5	13:44	7.7
17	..	2:30	3.5	11:43	3.1	....		....	
18	..	3:03	3.1	16:33	3.2	19:03	6.7	21:33	3.3
19	..	4:53	3.6	12:41	3.1	19:19	3.1	22:34	3.6
20	..	0:36	4.3	12:43	3.0	19:33	5.6	....	
21	..	0:16	3.3	6:15	4.6	16:56	3.1	19:53	3.5
22	..	1:56	3.6	7:56	5.1	18:13	6.3	20:14	4.5
23	..	2:31	5.3	7:42	5.6	13:33	5.3	20:45	3.3
24	..	3:27	7.1	8:53	6.0	13:57	5.4	21:14	5.5
25	..	4:23	7.2	9:32	6.4	14:23	5.4	21:47	2.8
26	..	5:17	7.3	0:40	3.5	14:41	5.3	22:23	3.3
27	..	6:13	7.3	10:34	7.5	14:54	3.3	23:03	3.3
28	..	....		....		14:35	3.2	23:46	3.3
29	..	....		....		14:46	3.2	....	
30	..	0:31	3.0	....		....		15:13	3.1
31	..	1:18	3.7	12:33	7.9	14:13	7.8	15:44	7.6

The Time used is Pacific Standard, for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish High Water from Low Water. Where blanks occur in the tables, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

The Height is in feet and tenths of a foot, above the average level of lower Low Water.

Esquimalt—To find the depth of water on the sill of the drydock at any tide, add 18.3 feet to the height of High Water as above given.

TRANSPACIFIC MAILS
OCTOBER, 1923
China and Japan

Empress of Asia—Mails close Oct. 4, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama Oct. 15, Shanghai Oct. 19, Hong Kong Oct. 21.

President Grant—Mails close Oct. 8, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama Oct. 17, Shanghai Oct. 22, Hong Kong Oct. 23.

Empress of Australia—Mails close Oct. 11, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama Oct. 23, Shanghai Oct. 28, Hong Kong Oct. 31.

Hawaii Maru—Mails close Oct. 13, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama Oct. 26.

Empress of Canada—Mails close Oct. 18, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama Oct. 30, Shanghai Nov. 3, Hong Kong Nov. 4.

Achilles—Mails close Oct. 25, 3:30 a.m. Due at Yokohama Nov. 3.

President McKinley—Mails close Oct. 30, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama Nov. 10, Shanghai Nov. 15, Hong Kong Nov. 13.

Empress of Russia—Mails close Nov. 1, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama Nov. 12, Shanghai Nov. 16, Hong Kong Nov. 18.

Australia and New Zealand

Niagara—Mails close Oct. 3, 9 a.m. Direct. Due Auckland Oct. 25.

Maunganui—Mails close Oct. 13, 4 p.m. Via San Francisco. Due Wellington Nov. 16.

Sonoma (Australia only)—Mails close Oct. 27, 4 p.m. Via San Francisco. Due Sydney Nov. 20.

EAST MANIFESTING INTEREST IN WEST

Mr. John Ferguson, of North Bay, Says Businessmen Anxious to Aid in Fullest Development

"In future the West may expect the support of Eastern business men in the effort to eliminate discriminatory freight rates against tonnage moving to the Pacific seaboard," said Mr. John Ferguson, prominent in financial circles in the East, who is staying at the Empress Hotel after completing a motor tour from North Bay, Ontario, across the continent, via Milwaukee and the Yellowstone trail, to this Coast. Mr. Ferguson is accompanied by his wife.

"Business men in the East," continued Mr. Ferguson, "are beginning to approach Canada's problems with a larger vision. They realize that it will be in the best interests of the country to have wheat, for example, exported from Pacific ports and through the Panama Canal to Europe, rather than hauled the long and expensive way by rail, particularly to U.S. ports on the Atlantic Coast."

Mr. Ferguson is widely known as "the man who built North Bay." Recognizing the possibilities in the situation, he purchased the townsite before the C.P.R. had been extended that far. When he arrived there he spent two nights alone in the woods. Today North Bay is a thriving city of 14,000 people, with transcontinental railroads passing through it and extensive industries resulting from commerce with the gold, copper and nickel mines to the north and west. Another source of its prosperity is to be found in the large resources of pulpwood in the surrounding country. The largest paper mill in the world is situated there, turning out from 450 to 500 miles of paper per day.

Mr. Ferguson stated that of all the places he has seen in the wide travels of his lifetime, Victoria is the city he likes best. "This city," he said, "should be called not only the garden city of Canada, but also the drawing-room of Canada. Though we haven't decided finally, in all likelihood we shall make our home here."

There are 200 species of earthworms in Australia.

ABNORMAL TIDES FELT IN ALASKA

FOLLOWED EARTH DISTURBANCES IN YOKOHAMA

Gigantic Flow Sweeps in From Sea—Windows of Canneries Broken by the Rising Waters

SEATTLE, Oct. 26.—Giant tides, described as the highest ever experienced in Western Alaska, followed the earthquake and tidal wave in Japan, doing considerable damage at Kodiak, Uyak and Chignik, according to Captain O. A. Johanson, of the steamship Starr, which arrived here yesterday from Seward, Alaska.

"The tide at Kodiak, following the earthquake in Japan was six feet higher than in the memory of the oldest inhabitant," Captain Johanson said. "At Uyak Bay a gigantic tide swept in from the seas and came up through the floor of the cannery with such force that windows in the building were broken. At Chignik, foundations were washed from beneath warehouses, and other damage done."

GONZALES CHAPTER ENTERTAINS MANY

Bridge and Mah Jong Party in Aid of Jubilee Hospital Fund Proves Unqualified Success

Through the generosity of Mrs. Ross Sutherland in throwing open her lovely home on Foul Bay Road yesterday afternoon and evening for a bridge and mah jong party the Gonzales Chapter, I.O.D.E., appreciably augmented the fund for the roof-garden of new wing of the Jubilee Hospital, for which object the members have been working most assidously for some time past.

The bridge and mah jong party was held under the auspices of Gonzales Chapter yesterday, with the Regent Mrs. L. A. Genge in charge, assisted by a committee of the members. Mrs. Hebden Gillespie convened the tea and supper arrangements and the affair was a most decided success.

The spacious rooms of the house were admirably adapted to accommodate the large number of guests who attended the event. Thirty-seven tables were in play yesterday afternoon, and in the evening twenty-two tables were engaged, while ten tables were held in aid of the Chapter at various members and interested friends' homes.

Masses of Autumn blooms decorated the rooms, and the dining-room, where tea and supper were served, was also prettily decorated with flowers.

The committee in charge was unable to state exactly the amount received from the affair yesterday but last night the members were more than delighted with the results of the undertaking, and expressed their sincere thanks to Mrs. Sutherland for her kindness in aiding the Chapter in the way she did.

CONSENT OF AMERICA TO ENTER REPARATIONS CONFERENCE WELCOMED

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formed to study Germany's economic situation and capacity to pay brought hope today to Washington officials that at last a step had been taken toward adjustment of the vexing reparations problem.

It was clear that some official announcement from London was expected to show the extent to which an agreement had been reached, and it was said authoritatively that so far as the situation had developed during the day it appeared certain that American experts named, with the approval of the Washington Government, would sit as members of the commission.

Unofficial advices from Paris said that Great Britain had not accepted the French stipulation that the committee be named under the authority of the Reparations Commission and within the specific terms of the treaty of Versailles. Presumably that stipulation also marked the Italian and Belgian acceptances.

It is understood that the French Government has pointed out to the London Foreign Office that it is only under the specific authority of the treaty which permits the Reparations Commission at need to call in expert advice that it could see any way to bring about the proposed economic study of Germany's resources.

France Comes In

PARIS, Oct. 26.—The French Government has accepted the British proposals for an examination into Germany's capacity to pay reparations. It is regarded in diplomatic circles that Premier Poincare has thus avoided a bad turning in France's international relations, for this morning when the United States note and Premier Baldwin's speech were published here, he appeared to be beset on all sides.

Defied by the German Chancellor in a speech which was regarded as presaging prolongation and intensification of the trouble with the Reich, and summoned by his allied associates to accept the principle of a conference, which he had hitherto steadily rejected, the French Premier seemed to have been isolated, if not cornered.

His prompt acceptance of one of the alternative proposals made by the British Premier clears the atmosphere, and while nothing is expected by French officials to come from a re-estimate of Germany's capacity, France will have at least avoided the appearance of hanging back on a proposal approved by the British and United States Governments. It is regarded as possible that the Germans may decide to ask for a hearing by the special commission of experts instead of pursuing their request that they be heard by the inter-allied reparations commission.

Other Elements

While the commission of experts is at work, other developments may modify the situation, such as the eventful success of the Rhineland republic which would compromise, according to some estimates, forty per cent of the paying power of Germany.

On the other hand, the intimation represented to the Quai d'Orsay that Great Britain would regard the Versailles Treaty as nullified if the Rhineland separated from the Reich and became an independent republic.

SEEK AGREEMENT ON CATTLE ISSUE

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Canada Pleased

Premier King said Canada was very grateful for the removal of the embargo, observing that in recognition the British preferential tariff in Canada had been cut ten per cent of the rate on goods imported directly through Canadian ports. He strongly urged a revision of the cattle regulations.

Premier Bruce observed that Canada was getting all the advantage in the removal of the embargo, but agreed that the advantage over the other Dominions was largely a paper one, as Australia and South Africa could not ship cattle in large quantities to Great Britain.

The representatives of other Dominions also strongly resented the underlying implication that when cattle were slaughtered under the Disease of Animals Act they were diseased.

In reply, it was stated on behalf of the British Government that such an implication had not been intended. Sir Robert Sanders, President of the Board of Agriculture, admitting that a case had been made in regard to the regulations, which would be investigated. He claimed, however, that the agreement between the Canadian and British governments regarding the embargo had been carried out.

Suggests Exchange

Respecting the admission of breeding cattle, he stressed the position of the Old Country livestock man. He suggested the exchange of pedigreed livestock, a suggestion that was welcomed by the conference generally.

Previously the conference had discussed Empire currency. In this Canada was only incidentally interested, as the discussion turned chiefly on rates of exchange between the Dominions using sterling currency.

A committee of experts will investigate the whole question of Empire currency. Canada is to have a representative.

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Youths' and Young Men's Wool Tweed Suits

Golden Values, $14.95

This is an offering extraordinary of youths' and young men's suits. These are made of wool tweeds, in the most popular models, including pleated backs, Norfolk and Semi-form fitting. Each suit is superbly tailored, and the shades are brown, greys, stripes and fancy tweeds. Sizes range from 33 to 38. Astonishing values at **$14.95**

—Men's Clothing, Main Floor

Boys' Combinations

Odd Lines on Sale Today at Half Price

These are lots in which we have only one or two sizes left, and are clearing them out. The assortment includes

Penman's Natural Wool Mixture Combinations, sizes 26 and 30.

Penman's Medium Weight Natural Wool Mixture, sizes 30 and 32.

Stanfield's Natural Elastic Rib Combinations, size 30 only.

Tiger Brand Combinations, heavy natural elastic rib, wool mixture, size 30 only.

Turnbull's Natural Wool Medium Weight Combinations, sizes 20, 30 and 32 only.

Morley's Natural Wool Mixture Combinations, imported. Sizes 22 and 28 only.

All at Half the Price They Are Marked.

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Masks for Halloween

"Domino" Masks, black and colored, each .....**10¢**

"Domino" Masks, satin, black and colored .....**15¢**

"Domino" Masks, velvet, black, each .....**25¢**

Paper Crepe Masks .....**20¢**

Fancy Face Masks .....**10¢**

Crepe Paper Caps, in Halloween colors .....**15¢**

Pumpkin and Cat Lanterns, each, 10c to .....**45¢**

Paper Napkins, 2 dozen for .....**25¢**

Crepe Paper, orange and black, a roll, 15c and **20¢**

—Stationery Dept., Lower Main Floor

Writing Pads

Spencer's Kildare Lawn, letter and ladies' size, each .....**15¢**

—Stationery Dept., Lower Main Floor

Military Hair Brushes

We wish to draw your attention to our very fine assortment of Brushes at prices which cannot be duplicated elsewhere. We have these in French ivory, ebony and natural ebony, also in the prophylactic make.

A nice shipment of 36 pairs ebony, with good, durable bristles, marked specially to sell at, a pair **$2.85**

20 Men's Overcoats and Raincoats

A Golden Saturday Morning Bargain at Each, $5.00

These include broken sizes and lines, but serviceable coats, in plain and belter models. The raincoats are most dependable in texture, and the tweed coats are surprising values. The sizes range from 36 to 42. On sale today, each....**$5.00**

—Men's Clothing, Main Floor

25 Dozen Boys' Knitted Ties

Golden Value, Each, 50c

Fibre Silk Knitted Ties for boys, in club or fancy stripes. The correct length for boys. A large selection to choose from. Each .....**50¢**

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250 Pairs of Men's Wool Tweed PANTS

A Bargain at $2.95

Men's Pants, made from heavy or medium weight tweeds, patterned in herringbones, dark browns and greys. The pants are neatly made, fashionably designed and excellently tailored. Sizes 32 to 44. Each pair a Golden Value at **$2.95**

—Men's Clothing, Main Floor

Boys' Pajamas and Sleepers

Two Golden Values Today

25 Dozen Boys' Flannelette Pajamas, made in two-piece style, patterned in assorted stripes; finished with frog trimmings and pocket. All sizes. A suit **$1.50**

Boys' Tiger Brand Sleepers, fleece lined, and in one-piece style, with feet attached. They have closed crotch the same as combinations, and are shown in sizes for the ages of 4 to 8 years. A suit **$1.50**

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